

Victoria Daily Times

TIDES
Mar. 24
Sun sets, 6:31; rises Friday, 6:07.

FORECAST—Fresh south to southwest winds, mostly fair and mild; scattered showers, Friday gradually clearing.
Sunshine yesterday, 2 hours, 36 minutes.

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BRITAIN READY TO FIGHT FOR TREATIES

Westerns Say They Tied Dominoes In Hectic Hoop Game

Official Score Gives Two Tallies, 34-34 and 34-32, Vancouver Boys Say
No Protest Yet Lodged By Losers

Victorians awaited this afternoon definite announcement of reports that Westerns of Vancouver, protested the result of last night's hectic senior A men's B.C. championship basketball game at the Victoria High School gym.

At the close of the game, Victoria Dominoes were announced winners by a 34 to 32 score. They had previously won the opening game 57 to 47 in the best of five series.

Dispute arose this morning over the scoring. A Vancouver despatch stated the Westerns had decided to protest, claiming they had gained a tie.

Ken Walton, leading basketball official in Vancouver, stated no official protest had been lodged shortly before noon.

The Dominoes board of directors declared they had received no official word and would take the stand the Victoria team had won the game unless otherwise notified.

The Times score set the final total at 34 to 32 for the Dominoes, a result approved by other newspapermen attending the game.

A Canadian Press dispatch from Vancouver read as follows: "Vancouver Westerns today decided to protest scoring of a game last night in Victoria, won by Victoria Dominoes by a score of 34 to 32."

"Ted Milton, coach for Westerns, said there was a discrepancy in the official score sheet which would make the game a tie, 34 to 34."

"President McTaggart Cowan of the British Columbia Amateur Basketball Association said he had received no official notice of protest, but had heard something about it."

"He said it was his opinion that 'whether the official score sheet is actually right or wrong, it is the only thing we have to go by in case of a protest.'"

"Milton said examination of the score sheet showed an error in addition, which would give Vancouver Westerns an additional two points, thus tying the game."

Grounds for Vancouver Westerns' protest rested on the inter-

MUCH TRADE WITH EMPIRE

B.C. Ships 40 Per Cent of Goods to Trade Agreement Countries

British Columbia ships slightly over 40 per cent of its goods to countries with which Canada has trade agreements, Senator W. W. deB. Farris, K.C., submitted to the Rowell Commission today in response to questions by J. MacGregor Stewart, commission counsel.

The questions sought to establish the value of Canada's trade policies to the province.

Out of \$68,245,025 worth of exports in 1930, \$30,560,000 went to trade agreement countries—equivalent to 44.79 per cent—and of this \$22,596,783 was exported to the United Kingdom.

In 1935, out of a total export of \$84,684,711, trade agreement countries took 41.42 per cent or \$35,080,864. The United Kingdom alone took the lion's share, \$27,276,742.

The trade agreement countries referred to, besides the United Kingdom, were South Africa, British West Indies, Irish Free State, Australia, New Zealand and France.

No figures are available for 1936 when the Canadian agreement with the United States went into force.

Conviction Of Youth Quashed

VANCOUVER (CP)—The British Columbia Court of Appeal today quashed conviction of Roy Graham, 20-year-old relief camp inmate, for breaking and entering a shop at Sooke, Vancouver Island.

He had been sentenced to two years' imprisonment by Magistrate H. C. Hall of Victoria February 4.

Higher Tax On Alberta Banks

EDMONTON (CP)—Temporary increase in taxes payable by banks was indicated today with a resolution being placed on the order paper of the Alberta Legislature to precede introduction of the legislation.

Twister Ripping Through Town



This remarkable picture was taken as torando struck Blytheville, Ark. Twenty persons were injured a few minutes later when the tail of the whirling funnel ripped through the community, damaging a quarter million dollars' worth of property. Blytheville was hardest hit of the Arkansas towns in the path of the storm which swept through six states in the lower Mississippi River basin, caused untold damage and took 21 lives.

Blum Cabinet In France Is Facing Sharp New Test

Opponents Are Reported Planning Dictatorial "Public Safety" Cabinet

PARIS (AP)—A sudden outbreak of new strikes in the Paris district and the Lille region in northern France was added today to the financial and political difficulties of Premier Leon Blum's government.

The strikes came in the metallurgical, chemical and other industries, and included several nationalized factories, where workers sought to force employers to sign new collective contracts.

The Chamber of Deputies, debating a measure for "total mobilization" of the nation in war time, today approved a new governmental department for civilian defence. At the same time, however, Socialists warned of a plot to set up a dictatorial "public safety" cabinet.

SENATE SETBACK
Tonight the Blum government was defeated in the Senate by 193 to 88 on a motion to reconsider the test of the emergency finance bills as approved by the Lower House, but the Premier had not posed the question of confidence, so the resignation issue was not raised.

The strikes, which embraced the Citroen and other large factories in the Paris district, were limited chiefly to a "symbolic" movement, with work halted for only a few hours. Almost all the strikers sought a clause in their collective contracts pinning wages automatically to any rise in the cost of living.

IN THE STREETS
In warning of a dictatorial move, Le Populaire, Socialist Party organ, charged Nationalist opponents were preparing to "descend into the streets" to force formation of a non-political cabinet, suspension of parties and dissolution of Parliament.

The finance committee sent a report to the Upper House for debate rejecting the government bill to finance the national defence fund, although it accepted a second measure providing 5,000,000 francs (\$150,000,000) in new loans from the Bank of France to permit the treasury to meet its immediate requirements.

A new crisis was feared imminent if Premier Blum should insist on passage of both bills,

Chamberlain, Pledging France And Belgium Defence, Warns Against Mid-European Clash

Chamber For Preparedness

Exchange of Letters With League of Nations Society Made Public

While members of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce are "100 per cent behind the idea of international peace," they feel that preparedness at this time should not be overlooked.

This information was received today when an exchange of letters between the local branch of the League of Nations Society and the chamber was made public.

On February 10, the League of Nations Society sent a circular letter to the chamber asking help in forming "the nucleus of a local Peace Conference Council, for consideration and promotion of appropriate policies."

On March 17, the Chamber of Commerce replied as follows:

"Our board of directors have recently met and considered your circular letter and are of the opinion that whilst members of the Chamber of Commerce are 100 per cent behind the idea of international peace, we feel that preparedness at this time should not be overlooked and that in view of the present conditions of international turmoil that we may better bring out a condition of security by taking every possible means to adequately protect our country."

To the question in the League of Nations Society's circular letter whether the organization would be glad to join George I. Warren, secretary, replied this morning that it was not the practice of the Chamber of Commerce to join other organizations.

ON EQUAL FOOTING

DODGE CITY, Kas. (AP)—Equal rights mean something here. Registration books for next Monday's primary election list 2,420 women and 2,420 men.

Czech Nazi Leader



Seeing the German seizure of Austria as a step toward achieving his own objective, Konrad Henlein, leader of the Czech Nazis, is using every effort to swing the republic toward the orbit of Hitlerism. His Sudeten German party in Czechoslovakia totals between 3,000,000 and 3,500,000.

BRITISH MAKE CLAIMS ON JAPAN

SHANGHAI (AP)—British authorities have forwarded to Tokyo, it was learned today, claims of approximately \$540,000 indemnity for bombings.

The amount asked by the British is chiefly for damage to the steamship Tuckwo, but includes a claim by a British newspaper correspondent for personal losses aboard the United States gunboat Panay, sunk in the Yangtze River. The British claim does not include, however, the Admiralty's estimates of damages for shelling of the British gunboat Ladybird.

Catholics Ask Aid For Their Schools

Separate School Issue Raised in B.C. Before Rowell Commission

Government funds toward the upkeep of Catholic schools in British Columbia and exemption of Catholic schools from taxation were asked by a delegation representing the Catholic minority before the Rowell Commission this morning.

Claiming that Catholics were one-sixth of the population of British Columbia, they submitted that they labored under an "unfair inequality... in the matter of education."

Martin J. Griffin Jr., presented the brief which was prepared by William Mark Duke, Archbishop of Vancouver; Emile M. Bunoz, O.M.I., Vicar Apostolic of the Yukon and Prince Rupert; John C. Cody, Bishop of Victoria; Martin M. Johnson, Bishop of Nelson, and Jean Couderc, O.M.I., Coadjutor of Yukon and Prince Rupert.

"We submit," said Mr. Griffin, "that the question of government aid and support of Catholic schools is a question of distributive, social justice, affecting a large portion of the population of this province. The present situation by which Catholics are obliged for the sake of conscience to maintain their own schools while at the same time contributing taxes to the upkeep of the public school system works a hardship upon the Catholic people of this province and is actually an unfair, heavy burden carried by them."

Citing that seven of the nine provinces (Manitoba and British Columbia being the only excep-

Commons Is Told No "Prior Guarantee" Is Given Czechoslovakia, But It Is Made Plain to Hitler No War Could Be Confined to Central Europe, as Other Powers Would Be Dragged in; Labor Leader Attlee, Urging Firmer Course Against Dictator, Says Chamberlain Yields to Force

Arms Work For 100,000 More

Chamberlain Asks British Labor Unions to Agree to New Terms

LONDON (AP)—Political commentators today said Prime Minister Chamberlain's objectives in conferring with trades union leaders Wednesday night chiefly was to obtain union permission to place arms and aircraft factories on a double shift basis—through employment of 100,000 more workers.

It was said the Trades Union Congress would be agreeable to such a program if the government would pledge itself to maintain hour and wage scales and to make no effort to weaken the unions through infiltration of non-union workers.

Several national union leaders said privately they were willing to go the limit with the Prime Minister after ascertaining details of his foreign policy today.

Battlefront Is Hairpin Shape

Chinese Counter-attacks Against Japanese North of Suchow Change Line

SHANGHAI (AP)—Chinese counter-offensives north of Suchow extended lines of the 10-day-old battle Thursday to a gigantic hairpin 50 miles deep and 30 miles wide along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

Japanese, after a 375-mile march southward from Tientsin, sought to force a crossing of the Grand Canal 22 miles north of the vital junction with the Lung-hai railroad at Suchow, but Chinese attacks threatened to force a withdrawal.

Meanwhile, the long-awaited Japanese-sponsored government at Nanking, once the capital of the central Chinese government, was slated for inauguration Saturday.

AUTO DRIVER DIES

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP)—A dozen motorists honked their horns impatiently when an automobile appeared stalled in the center of a downtown street last night. An officer investigating the bedlam found Frank Pardo, 58, railroad machinist, dead at the wheel, a victim of a heart attack.

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GAINS CLAIMED BY FRANCOISTS

Spanish Insurgents Using Smoke Screens in Drive On Catalonia

HENDAYE, France, On the Spanish Frontier (AP)—The insurgent command today claimed for the insurgent army one of the most decisive victories of the Spanish civil war.

In the third day of the offensive tightening a mesh around Catalonia the central insurgent column pushed forward from its new base at Pena, while northern forces drove down from Huesca and a southern unit advanced along the Aclan-Caspe line.

LONDON (AP)—Prime Minister Chamberlain today refused to give Czechoslovakia "a prior guarantee" of immediate armed help against German aggression, but he warned Adolf Hitler that a middle European war would drag in other powers.

"Where peace and war are concerned," he told a packed, intent House of Commons, "legal obligations are not alone involved, and if war broke out it would be unlikely to be confined to those who have assumed such obligations."

"It would be impossible to say where it would end and what governments might become involved."

"This is especially true of two countries like Britain and France... devoted to the same ideals of democratic liberty and determined to uphold them."

HOUSING SPEECH

Mr. Chamberlain spoke 57 minutes in presenting his anxiously-awaited statement of foreign policy, the most important such declaration by a British Prime Minister since the Great War.

He turned down Soviet Russia's call for consultation among the democratic powers against aggressor nations.

During the most of his speech Mr. Chamberlain leaned his left elbow on the famous dispatch box used by Disraeli, Gladstone and other prime ministers before him.

He promised Great Britain would send the new arms she was forging into battle to uphold the treaties she already has, notably those for aid to France and Belgium, and to protect her vital interests.

He urged solution of the problems between Hitler's expanded Germany and Czechoslovakia. He insisted there still were prospects for success in his bargaining with Italy's Premier Mussolini.

But he said Britain must strive for peace, "because we know that in war there are no winners."

CHEERED BY MEMBERS

On entering the House for the afternoon's sitting Mr. Chamberlain was greeted with cheers. He was cheered again when he rose to speak at 3:38 p.m.

Diplomats of France, the United States, Soviet Russia, Belgium, Czechoslovakia, China and other powers followed the address. The envoys of Germany and Italy apparently were not there.

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drive had resulted in an advance of about 10 miles along a 15-mile front in the northern sector, while the central victory opened a path to the Zaragoza-Ledrida-Barcelona highway.

NOW USING SMOKE

MADRID (AP)—The Spanish insurgent army, using smoke screens to cloak its advance, struck out today for the Mediterranean on a new course into rich and hitherto untouched Catalonia.

Shifting their attacks north of the Ebro River, after a two-week clean-up campaign of the south bank, the insurgents fixed Lerida as their first important objective.

Bigger Battleships Are Soon To Be Built

WOMAN ARRESTED
VANCOUVER (CP)—Jack Hue told police today his room had been broken into and a suitcase looted of \$130 and a bottle of whisky. A woman was arrested shortly after the report and held for investigation.

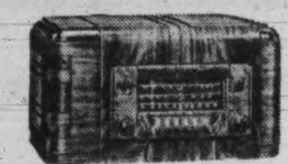
THE WEATHER

VICTORIA, 9 a.m. today—Pressure remains low over British Columbia and heavy rains have occurred on the west coast of Vancouver Island and lower mainland, while it continues mild in the interior with showers in southern districts. Fair weather is reported on the prairie.	
Victoria—Barometer, 29.74; temperature, max. 56, min. 40; precip., 1.0; clear.	
Vancouver—Barometer, 29.76; temperature, max. 48, min. 42; wind, 4 miles E.; precip., .40; raining.	
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, max. 56, min. 36; wind, 4 miles N.; precip., .02; raining.	
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.08; temperature, max. 58, min. 50; wind, 4 miles N.; precip., .47; clear.	
Max. Min.	
Victoria	40 56
Nanaimo	42 58
Whistler	44 60
New Westminster	46 62
Duncan	48 64
Seattle	44 60
Portland	54 64
San Francisco	50 58
Kamloops	44 54
Prince George	50 56
Kelowna	52 58
Penticton	46 50
Yermol	48 50
Grand Forks	46 50
Nelson	48 50
Kaslo	42 51
Ogishay	46 54
Edmonton	40 50
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The disclosure of naval plans came coincidental with the start of House debate on the \$447,000,000 War Department appropriation bill, which Representative Snyder, Democrat, Pennsylvania, declared should be even larger "in the light of present world conditions."

Allocations proposed in the War Department bill indicated today that the army, like the navy, is giving particular attention to key defenses in the Pacific area.

The bulk of a \$6,748,559 allotment for seacoast defenses was earmarked to strengthen strategic points on the Pacific coast, in Hawaii and at the Panama Canal. Of \$12,755,295 requested to meet a "critical" deficiency in anti-aircraft weapons and equipment, \$3,783,540 was specifically for the western shoreline.

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BRITAIN READY TO FIGHT FOR TREATIES

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"The Prime Minister has yielded to force," he declared. "He has left us and the world in the 1914 situation."

"There is nothing so dangerous as a policy of weakness, drift and uncertainty."

"The Prime Minister does not seem to realize the full gravity of the situation and the need for positive, not mere negative, action."

The Labor leader said he was shocked by Mr. Chamberlain's "amazing credulity" in accepting Italy's promises.

AGAINST AGGRESSORS

The Prime Minister during his speech made a pledge to fight if France or Belgium were the victim of unjustified attack when he said:

"Our existing commitments which might lead to the use of our arms for a purpose other than our own defence are, first of all, defence of France and Belgium against unprovoked aggression."

"Britain also has treaty obligations to Portugal, Iraq and Egypt."

The Prime Minister declared central Europe was not an area where vital British interests are at stake. (Great Britain has no treaty binding her to aid Czechoslovakia as she is bound to France and Belgium.)

But he warned plainly if German aggression should result in war there Britain might be forced into it.

In urging peaceful settlement of Czechoslovakia's German minority problem, he offered Britain's help in this.

FUNDAMENTAL POLICY

"I can not imagine any events in Europe which would change the fundamental basis of British foreign policy, which is the maintenance and preservation of peace," said the Prime Minister.

"However," he warned, "that does not mean that nothing would make us fight."

Cheers greeted this declaration. The Prime Minister continued:

"We are bound up by certain treaty obligations which would entail upon us the necessity of fighting if the occasion arose, and I hope no one doubts that we should be prepared in such event to fulfill those obligations."

"Our object must always be to preserve those things which we consider essential without recourse to war, because we know that in war there are no winners."

LEAGUE OF NATIONS

"I do not deny that my original belief in the League of Nations as an effective instrument for preserving peace has been profoundly shaken. That arises from the present condition of the League itself, due to recent events."

"The best thing we could do for the League," he said, "would be to nurse it back to health, because if we could make it wider and reinforce it, it might yet become the most effective guarantee for peace."

Members cheered this declaration, interpreting it as an invitation to the great powers outside the League—the United States, Germany, Japan, Brazil and Italy—to associate themselves with it.

ARMAMENTS NEEDED

Mr. Chamberlain went on: "If Britain is to make a substantial contribution toward the establishment of what is our strongest interest (peace), we must be strongly armed."

"There is no question of our using our armaments for purposes of aggression or purposes inconsistent with the covenant (of the League)."

"If ever the time comes when the world established an international police force which would inspire us all with full confidence in its capacity, then there would be no need for us to trouble our heads about our own defence. That would be done for us."

"But until that day comes—and I am afraid it is a great way off yet—we must think first of the safety of this country and the safety of peoples for whom we are responsible."

AUSTRIAN COUP

"The government already have placed on record a judgment of the action taken by the German government, and to this I have nothing to add."

This was a reference to Germany's annexation of Austria, which Mr. Chamberlain denounced in his last previous speech in the Commons.

"The consequence of that action remain," he said. "There has been a profound disturbance of international confidence. The problem before Europe is how to restore this shaken confidence."

"The solution of the question of relations between Czechoslovakia and the German minority in that country would go far to re-establish a sense of stability over an area much wider than immediately concerned."

QUOTES EDEN

The Prime Minister was cheered when he quoted Rt. Hon. Anthony Eden who resigned February 20 as Foreign Secretary when he split with Chamberlain over foreign policy—to this effect:

"Nations can not be expected to incur automatic military obligations save for areas where their vital interests are concerned."

This constituted his expected announcement that Britain would not declare war automatically if Germany should invade Czechoslovakia.

"Although the ability of the League to fulfill its functions has been reduced," Mr. Chamberlain continued, "this is not to be interpreted as meaning that His Majesty's government would in no circumstances intervene as a member of the League for restoration of peace or maintenance of order if the circumstances made it appropriate to do so."

This was interpreted as a warning to Germany to tread slowly toward Czechoslovakia.

"I can not but feel," he went on, "that the course and development of any dispute 'would be greatly influenced by the knowledge that such action as it may be in the power of Britain to take would be determined by His Majesty's government of the day in accordance with the principles laid down in the covenant.'"

CATHOLICS ASK AID FOR THEIR SCHOOLS

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Neither are our demands in any spirit of opposition to the system of public and high schools organized and conducted under our school laws, which we regard as essential for the well-being of the community and province."

Pointing out that minority rights were protected by the B.N.A. Act, he quoted Hon. G. M. Weir, Minister of Education, as stating in his book on the separate school question in 1934 that "if the great problems of nation-building are to be satisfactorily solved in Canada, there can be no place for racial animosities, religious prejudice, coercive attempts to secure educational uniformity, nor yet for bitter controversy."

He pointed out that Catholic schools in B.C. were not like ordinary private schools and did not demand fees from poor people. Their collections rarely paid the overhead.

Catholic schools, he added, followed the same curricula laid down for the public schools, although adding special religious instruction and training. Teachers were well qualified and pupils took the regular department examinations.

PREVIOUS ATTEMPTS

He reviewed three attempts, in 1883, 1930 and 1932 seeking aid for Catholic schools and tax exemption.

Since British Columbia was considering taking over the Yukon, where Catholic school rights were recognized, the time of annexation would be suitable for extending these rights to the whole province, he said.

In conclusion, he said: "We feel that your commission, the scope of whose work has brought it in contact with the problems of every province, will realize that the condition of the Catholics of British Columbia does not harmonize with the mind and policy of the Canadian nation as a whole, and that the actual hardships which our people bear for the sake of conscience in educational matters, present a situation, not only detrimental to the welfare and advancement of the province in general, but also a burden which no group of Canadian citizens should be forced to endure."

"We present this question to you in the hope that our present position and just demands may be better known and understood by the provincial and federal governments, by the people of British Columbia, and by the Canadian nation. We present it, too, in the hope that your commission may be able to advise the governments concerned on a question of so great concern to 100,000 Catholics in British Columbia, and that you may see your way clear to recommend that the Catholic people of this province be accorded the same recognition in educational matters, as 'enjoyed by their co-religionists in the other provinces.'"

NOT DEALING WITH YUKON

Chairman Rowell pointed out to Mr. Griffin that the commission was not dealing with the Yukon question he had raised.

"Couldn't the commission deal with this?" asked Mr. Griffin.

"We have so many problems already, we don't want to pick up any more that are in the wind," replied the chairman.

Mr. Griffin said the Catholic issue had become so serious in New Brunswick the Dominion Government had had to step in to help.

SUPPORTERS CHEER

A burst of cheering from Conservative benches followed this summary of policy and the opposition sprang immediately into attack.

Mr. Attlee declared there was nothing in the Prime Minister's statement "which makes for peace... what we have to face is whether the world will be ruled by force or by the rule of law."

While Mr. Chamberlain was speaking, Sir Thomas Inskip, Minister for Co-ordination of Defence, conferred with Labor leaders on the problem of supporting rearmament. An official statement said Sir Thomas had asked their co-operation and they had promised an early decision.

MAHARAJAH OF PATIALA DIES

LAHORE, India. (CP-Reuters)—The Maharajah of Patiala, ruler of the largest state in the Punjab, who during the Great War placed his entire resources at the disposal of the Empire, died Wednesday at the age of 46.

Educated at Aitchison College, Lahore, the Maharajah served with the Indian Expeditionary Force during the Great War and was on the staff in France, Belgium, Italy and Palestine.

He represented India at the Imperial War Conference of 1918 and at League of Nations Assembly in 1925.

In his visits to London the Maharajah ordinarily engaged a whole floor of one of the West End houses. Five thousand cut roses every day adorned the rooms. A solid silver bath was installed for his use. A string of pearls in his huge collection of jewels alone was reputed to be worth \$1,000,000 (\$5,000,000).

His favorite sports were hunting and cricket, and in 1911 he took to England an Indian team at his own expense.

GROUP TENDENCY

In rejecting Soviet Russia's proposal that world democracies confer on a concerted plan to halt further "Fascist aggression," Mr. Chamberlain said such a conference would "aggravate the tendency toward establishment of exclusive groups of nations which must be inimical to the prospects of European peace."

He said that "so far as Czechoslovakia is concerned, now is the time when all the resources of diplomacy should be enlisted in the cause of peace."

The opposition laughed derisively. "In the meantime there is no need to assume the use of force, or indeed to talk about it said Mr. Chamberlain."

Mr. Chamberlain declared for continuing Britain's policy of non-intervention in the Spanish civil war.

TALKS WITH ITALY

The Prime Minister sounded an optimistic note on Britain's friendship talks with Italy, now under way in Rome.

Labor interruptions broke out as the Prime Minister recalled how, when the Anglo-Italian conversations opened, the Italian government had "informed us of their acceptance of the British formula for the withdrawal of

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WESTERNERS SAY THEY TIED DOMINOES IN HECTIC HOOP GAME

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pretation of Referee Earle Jewel on a shot made by A. Beaton about two minutes from time, Bob Whyte, official scorer, stated today:

"Making a recheck of the totals, Mr. Whyte stated there was some question over the shot. Beaton was fouled as he was shooting. The shot went through the hoop and was recorded in the individual scores, but not included in the running total. Beaton scored one free shot as a result of the foul and was credited, individually, with five points in the game."

The scorer was not notified that the basket did not count. Mr. Whyte believed the outcome could be decided only on the ruling of the referee.

Score sheets were signed by the referees, timer and scorer at the end of the game, the official copy being given to M. Gordon, counsel member for Vancouver on the executive of the B.C. Basketball Association.

An error was acknowledged in the computation of the score of Jo-Jo Ross. In the individual totals he was credited with four field baskets and two free throws, but the sum of those points was erroneously placed at eight. As a result, the team total was left as it would have been had Beaton's second field goal been omitted.

J. V. Johnson, president of the

DOMINOES CLUB, WHEN QUESTIONED ON THE MATTER, SAID:

"As far as we are concerned, we have not been officially notified of anything. We have heard reports of a protest over the scoring. Until we learn definitely that such action has been taken we will continue with the assumption the Dominos won the second game 34 to 32."

"Should we be advised of such a protest officially we would await the ruling and then decide what to do."

Japanese Eye U.S. Navy Building

Spokesman Says Republic Considering Operations Against Nippon

TOKIO (AP)—A Japanese navy spokesman charged Thursday the United States is considering naval operations against Japan. He cited the new expansion program as evidence of this.

The spokesman at a press conference said: "My own view is that if the Americans are not thinking of overseas operations they would not need a fleet of that size. Nor do I believe the object of American operations could be any other than Japan."

Self-defence still was the basic principle underlying Japan's plans, he said.

Credence was placed in American denials that actual cooperation exists between the United States and Great Britain, but the spokesman added:

"Personally, I think they have something like a common understanding which does not go to the extent of co-operation."

Foreign Minister Koki Hirota characterized as "ridiculous" assertions that many of Japan's fishing boats were really disguised warships.

An interpellator quoted a statement which he said was made by a United States congressman and asked whether fishing vessels could be so converted.

Sixty Killed In Storm In India

COMILLA, Bengal, India (AP)—Sixty persons were reported killed and hundreds injured today when a tornado swept three villages near here. Property damage and livestock losses were heavy.

Election Talk In Saskatchewan

REGINA (CP)—With the members of the Saskatchewan Legislature homeward bound today after prorogation last night, rumors are abroad a provincial general election will be called before the house sits again. The Liberal government, however has given no indication when polling will take place.

Elected June 19, 1934, Premier W. J. Patterson and his supporters hold 50 seats, with Co-operative Commonwealth Federation members in the other five.

Among the 96 measures passed at the session ended yesterday is a redistribution act, which will reduce the legislature membership from 55 to 52.

Defence Debate At Ottawa Today

OTTAWA (CP)—The annual debate on defence was opened in the House of Commons this afternoon when Hon. Ian MacKenzie, Defence Minister, started consideration of his departmental estimates. The estimates total \$34,000,000 compared with \$36,000,000 last year.

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Bill For Big New
Niagara Bridge

OTTAWA (CP)—A bill which would enable the governments of Ontario and New York state to undertake erection of a bridge below Niagara Falls was recommended Wednesday by a committee of the Commons. The bill goes to the House for third reading and then to the Senate.

The old Falls View Bridge collapsed this winter in heavy ice jams and the International Railway Company, owner of that bridge, opposed the bill because it claimed it had authority to reconstruct a bridge on the same site as the old one without additional legislation.

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B.C.'s Freight Rates Debated

Commons Advances Transport Bill; T. Reid Sees Possible Disadvantages

OTTAWA (CP)—Without opposition, Hon. C. D. Howe, transport minister, Wednesday obtained second reading in the Commons for his bill to create a board of transport commissioners. The board will take over the functions of the present Board of Railway Commissioners and control over inland water and air transportation.

The bill is similar to one introduced and defeated in the Senate last year except that control of highway transport is not contemplated.

The measure was sent by the Commons to its railway committee, which will hear representations for and against it.

Mr. Howe said the bill introduced a new principle into transport legislation on this continent by permitting carriers to make agreements with shippers for the carriage of their goods at less than the regular rates providing the shippers dispatched their goods with one carrier.

The provision for agreed charges would put an end to railway freight rates being made the basis of rates for highway and water transports. Thus, said Mr. Howe, it would give the railways a weapon against truck competition without injuring general business.

REID SPEAKS
Thomas Reid, Liberal, New Westminster, kicked over the party traces to attack the legislation. He said it would injure British Columbia, particularly through its regulation of ships using the Panama Canal between Canadian ports.

What, Canada needed was lower freight rates, not more of them, Mr. Reid argued. The whole purpose of the bill was to protect the railways and not the public. Instead of forcing the railways to meet new competition, the bill offered them a protection against it.

Mr. Reid said British Columbia had no competitive railway lines and its industries would be placed at a disadvantage when applying for new rates.

Mr. Reid blamed loss of passenger business during recent years for Canada's railway problem. He did not believe the government bill would help the passenger business of the railways because it placed all the emphasis on freight.

Mr. Reid said he was glad the bill did not incorporate trucks and buses. He hoped the government would not seek power over highway traffic at a later date. Howard C. Green, Conservative, Vancouver South, said British Columbia was concerned with the possible effect of the bill on goods shipped from the east by the Panama Canal. Without this competition, freight rates to the Pacific coast might be increased, not only to the detriment of British Columbia, but to Alberta as well.

B.C. COASTAL RATES

Shipping and air transportation both agreed they must come

Resumes Practice



E. J. REILLY

RIVERHEAD, N.Y. (AP)—Edward J. Reilly, who unsuccessfully defended Bruno Richard Hauptmann in the Lindbergh kidnapping trial, was freed Wednesday from the King's Park State Hospital for the Insane by a jury in Suffolk County Court.

Reilly, committed to the Brooklyn State Hospital 14 months ago on the petition of his elderly mother, Mrs. Helen Reilly, planned to return to his Brooklyn law office today. He had been a patient in four institutions since January 30, 1937.

under a regulating organization, Transport Minister Howe said.

The reason rate-fixing on the Pacific coast was not included in the bill was the government's belief it should be held to bare essentials. However, if British Columbia members would sponsor amendments in committee, he was prepared to support them.

The United States had regulations for coastwise shipping using the Panama Canal, Mr. Howe said, and he could see no reason why Canada should not have them. There were many safeguards in the legislation to see that agreed charges did not injure shippers or communities.

There was only one ship using the Panama Canal between Canadian ports and he could see no reason why it should not be regulated the same as any other coastal ship. In addition, it would stop the ship shopping around for business and force it to advertise its rates.

Criticism Of Railways Heard

Senate Hears Views of A. Sauve in Debate on Problems

OTTAWA (CP)—Why should a solution for Canada's railway problem be sought, with so much money spent to cover deficits, while at the same time the country spends more millions devising methods of increasing the railway's competition, asked Senator Arthur Sauve, Conservative, Quebec, in the Senate Wednesday.

He cited the government's financial backing to development of air transport as a case in point.

His query arose when he resumed debate in the upper House on the motion of Senator C. P. Beaubien, Conservative, Montreal, calling on the government to relieve Canada of the railway burden.

Quebec Clergy Keep Workers Secure From Secular Trade Unions

Syndicates Catholiques Hold Allegiance of French-Canadian Labor

QUEBEC—To keep Quebec's working population out of the secular, and especially the C.I.O. unions, the Federation des Syndicates Catholiques is putting up a determined battle.

For this objective the services of the clergy who act as chaplains and general advisers to the unions are enlisted.

"The priests," said Alfred Charpentier, president of the powerful, all-provincial syndicates, "because of their broadened experience, know more about the labor problem than the young workers."

So, when the rivalry with the C.I.O. grows hot, as it did last fall in the small textile town parish of Kenogami, the appeal to treat the secular union as a kind of public mad dog may even break into sermon discourses and pulp orders.

"The International," warned Rev. Father Henri Fortier at Kenogami one Sunday in September, using the word which the Church in Quebec almost invariably uses to describe the C.I.O. to its communicants—"the International puts aside Jesus Christ and his religion."

"The International disrespects the social doctrine of the church. In the International it is Communism which you favor. It is freemasonry you help. It is a revolution which you are preparing."

"I warn certain members of the International who are at the same time freemasons and Communists that if they continue to insult the Catholic Syndicate, the clergy, as members of the syndicates, without delay will take means to be respected."

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Father Fortier went on to say that certain other societies, while "not formally condemned," led to "a disastrous promiscuousness for Catholics." Among these groups which he urged syndicate members to shun were the Y.M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A., the Rotary, Lions and Kiwanis clubs, the Elks and the American Federation of Labor.

In other words, the Arcand anti-Semitic fascists in Quebec Province, the Bouchard French Nationalists and the Catholic Syndicates are at one in their insistence on Fascist corporation.

Moreover, at high strategic points on the Syndicate front substantially the same doctrine

den. An amendment by Senator F. B. Black, Conservative, New Brunswick, would appoint a committee to probe the whole matter, while a sub-amendment sponsored by Senator James Murdock, Liberal, Ottawa, asks that committee to discover means of guaranteeing to the government an annual income of \$75,000,000 from the railways.

VIEWSON THE C.P.R.

Mr. Sauve voiced both sympathy with and criticism of the Canadian Pacific Railway regarding its operations in Quebec. The company had lost its prestige

and the confidence of the province, Senator Sauve said. This was due to "poor service." The company had refused to construct lines for the northern settlers.

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Damage Suit On Plane Accident

REGINA (CP)—Second case of its kind in Canada, hearing of a damage action from an airplane accident was in progress today in King's Bench Court here before Mr. Justice H. Y. MacDonald. Plaintiff in the action is John

Finch, Regina, and the defendants are Charles Skinner, Regina aviator, and the Speers Airways.

The action arose from an accident on the farm of William Hoffman at Zehner, Sask., in February 1937, when a machine flown by Skinner with Finch as a passenger turned over while attempting to take off from a field.

Finch claims \$10,000 general and \$675 special damages for injuries received.

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Beclouding the Issue

IN ITS LEADING EDITORIAL YESTERDAY the Vancouver Daily Province said: "Some of the proposals submitted to the Rowell Commission by Mr. H. R. MacMillan on behalf of the Vancouver and other British Columbia Boards of Trade were stated by the chairman to be impracticable. That is probably true, but any such weakness was redeemed by the strong argument advanced for the retention of the Ottawa Agreements."

Our contemporary proceeds by emphasizing the fact that Mr. MacMillan told the commission that "the Empire preferences lifted this province from the depths of the depression and set it on the high road to economic recovery," and that "if they are interfered with to the extent of limiting the Empire markets we now enjoy, British Columbia cannot hope to escape economic repercussions."

Then we read: "All this was forcefully explained to the commission by Mr. MacMillan. It is incredible that similar representations were not made in the provincial government's submission, but the fact remains that this tremendously important matter did not receive even honorable mention in the elaborate case submitted to the Rowell Commission."

The Vancouver paper then winds up with this unique reference to the Pattullo government: "It has, by ignoring the subject, handed the Dominion Government a blank cheque on which to write any modifications to the Ottawa Agreements that may suit its purpose. It will have to accept heavy responsibility for any disturbance of the British preferences that reacts unfavorably on British Columbia."

Let us get the record straight. Chief Justice Rowell, as chairman of the commission, informed Mr. MacMillan that some of the proposals contained in the brief he presented on behalf of the Vancouver and other Boards of Trade were "rather impracticable."

We call some of them fantastic and not worth more than scant consideration.

We agree that British Columbia lumbermen and orchardists and those on their payrolls may feel some "economic repercussions"—if the preferences they are enjoying in the United Kingdom should be discontinued or even modified. But we say to the Vancouver Province that it departs wholly from fact when it virtually accuses the Pattullo government of something approaching blind indifference where the welfare of two important industries is concerned.

The Vancouver newspaper knows, or it ought to know, that at the session of the provincial Legislature last fall a resolution, unanimously passed, said: "This House favors the principle of Empire Preferences and urges upon the Dominion Government the great importance to British Columbia of the maintenance of existing markets in Great Britain and other parts of the Empire."

Does this give the Dominion Government a "blank cheque" to do what the Daily Province suggests?

Does this suggest that the Pattullo government has ignored the lumber and orchard industries?

If the preferences on British Columbia lumber and apples in the British market are interfered with—our contemporary ought to know if it does not—it will be because such action as the British Government may take will be in what it thinks is to the material interest of Great Britain.

The British Government already knows the views of British Columbia in particular and of Canada in general on this matter. Before the Rowell Commission has made its report—perhaps the Vancouver newspaper will agree—we shall know the nature of the effect, if any, Britain's negotiations with the United States on this province's trade in lumber and apples may have.

J. B. M.'s Plain Speaking

WE PUBLISH TODAY, WITHOUT COMMENT, another excerpt from J. B. M.'s daily series in the Winnipeg Free Press on the Rowell Commission's proceedings here.

We do this because of the wide interest in these comments as they have followed the sittings of the Commission from coast to coast. J. B. M.'s "Confederation Clinic" is recognized as an outstanding journalistic contribution. His outspoken and pointed criticism, his iconoclastic barbs, are refreshing in these platitudinous days. If Canada had an annual Pulitzer Prize for distinctive newspaper work in the public interest, it would be J. B. M.'s this year.

Publication of these comments is also important because J. B. M. is close to the mind of the Commission. His reactions to the presentations are therefore of special significance, whether we agree with them or not. It is useful, as a corrective, to have such an objective view, and to learn what outsiders are thinking about what we claim from the Confederation. The broader national viewpoint has been on the recessive here as elsewhere. J. B. M.'s challenge to the parochialism into which we tend to slump is timely.

Britain's Foreign Policy

GREAT BRITAIN'S POLICY TOWARD Continental Europe in the matter of armed commitments was made clearer by Prime Minister Chamberlain in the House of Commons this afternoon. On general principles he followed fairly close to the prediction made from London yesterday.

Mr. Chamberlain said that Great Britain does not propose to pledge herself to extend armed support to Czechoslovakia should Nazi Germany follow her new "technique of invasion" on lines similar to those which marked Reichsfuehrer Hitler's bloodless conquest of Austria.

Czechoslovakia, incidentally, is reported to be ready to meet any surprise attack her Teuton neighbor may intend to launch. Meanwhile, Nazi agents and leaders, working with the "undercover support of 3,500,000 Sudeten Germans, are 'preparing the way.'"

France and Belgium no doubt will be able to extract considerable comfort from Prime Minister Chamberlain's assurance that Great Britain will go to the assistance of either, or both, in the event of unprovoked invasion. This, of course, is strictly in accordance with the existing agreement.

Mr. Chamberlain's eagerly-awaited re-statement of policy would seem to suggest that Britain is content for the time being to adopt the highly commendable course of not letting herself in for any new obligations in Continental Europe.

Zeballos

ON THE PACIFIC SLOPE FROM Alaska to Hollywood, Zeballos is the cynosure of many eyes. It is widely envisioned as a bright spot in a world of disappointment and uncertainty. Men of all classes look with a reawakened hope to this "new klondike," north of Victoria on the west coast of this island. Tales of new wealth from this reputed eldorado have whetted the speculative appetite. Zeballos means opportunity for new trade and a few, at least, more jobs. Satiated city folk find themselves surprisingly sensitive to the boom lure of this community establishing itself overnight on a rugged and inhospitable shore.

All these factors combine to arouse interest in the public luncheon at the Empress Hotel Friday arranged by the Chamber of Commerce when Mr. Howard Mitchell, editor of the *Financial News*, will speak on his recent visit to Zeballos and show films he took of the activities there.

Ducks vs. Airplanes

THERE IS SOMETHING RATHER appealing about the statement by air transportation chiefs that one of the matters giving them concern arises from the fact that ducks refuse to be intimidated by airplanes, and thus create a major problem for aviation.

It seems that the ducks, which after all have been traveling through the air a good bit longer than the man-made planes, show little regard for air-traffic regulations and continue serenely on their way—even if they fly right through a plane's windshield. The result is bad not only for the duck, but also for the plane and its pilot.

The worst offenders among the ducks are Canadian honkers. These birds weigh around eight pounds, and it is an unlucky airplane that meets up with one. They fly along honking all the while and expect everything else to get out of their way.

Probably they think they are in an automobile—or something!

Notes

The least popular occupation in France these days is that of cabinet-maker.

Highway patrols in Pennsylvania now use cameras at night to photograph license numbers of speeding cars. A legal shot in the dark.

The value of the international trade in securities between Canada and other countries in January declined to the lowest point since July, 1937. Total sales were \$32,633,278 compared with \$59,148,982 a year ago, while purchases were \$28,691,361 compared with \$65,051,353. Sales to the United States aggregated \$26,158,514 compared with \$42,881,080 in January, 1937; purchases from the United States were \$21,250,206 compared with \$54,739,139. Sales to the United Kingdom totaled \$4,458,753 compared with \$12,984,543, while purchases were \$6,535,435 compared with \$8,783,183.

RADIO MESS IN CANADA

From Toronto Saturday Night
The idea "that the British Government must at no time be sharply criticized over the Canadian air waves appears to us to be unreasonable, preventing as it would the repetition by radio of a great deal of what is said in the Dominion Parliament and in various provincial Legislatures."

But broadcasts paid for by funds collected by a government tax are in an entirely different category. The government is here the sponsor; a government agency is the authority which decides what speakers are to be hired and what speakers are not to be hired. Listeners cannot be blamed for entertaining the idea that a CBC broadcast at least enjoys the approval of the Canadian Government. Technically, no doubt Mr. King is right in claiming the statute is so drawn "as to remove the corporation from anything in the nature of possible political or other pressure from the administration, but public opinion is slightly skeptical of these technical safeguards."

It is all very difficult and confusing and it would not happen if the government had confined itself to the regulation rather than the operation of the radio system in Canada; but it did not do so and Mr. G. V. Ferguson (through his recent radio speech on the Eden episode) is merely a part, and possibly a small part, of its punishment.

Loose Ends

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

YES, YOU'LL PAY

A FEW DAYS ago, when I ventured the dangerous opinion that the Rowell Commission would find only basic fact about the finances of Canada—namely that we must pay more taxes—a number of politicians deprecated me, as usual, and suggested that I was trying to undermine the state, as is my custom. Now Mr. Justice Rowell has said the same thing and the idea is becoming respectable.

This is the one obvious and inescapable fact of the situation—our governments are all spending more than they collect and heading inevitably into bankruptcy. The only question is when they will reach it. And whether the provincial politicians manage to wish more taxes on the Dominion or the Dominion politicians on the provincial, doesn't matter. We shall have to pay them. It is of great moment to a politician whether he or some other politician shall collect a tax, because it may mean his re-election. But it is of no moment to you whether you pay to one or the other. It costs the same either way, and they will get the money, no matter what pocket you keep it in.

There is the alternative of cutting down costs of government, as the chief justice has observed. But it will not be followed. There is no chance of cutting down costs. That never happens. Costs have been going up steadily and will continue to go up. Debt will go up, too, until it can't go any further, until we can't borrow. So there remains the other alternative of paying more and more taxes, unless we go through bankruptcy and wring out our debts, which would ruin everybody who had saved a nickel. Before that happens we will make a gallant attempt to avoid it. We will pay more taxes; more and more—not to get anything more for our money, but to pay for what we have already. Don't say you weren't warned.

THINKER

SIGMUND FREUD, who gave the world psychoanalysis, is reported ill in Vienna at this writing, as a result of a visit paid by Nazi police. Probably they will exterminate Freud before they are finished, because one thing National Socialism cannot stand is thought. But while they may exterminate Freud at the age of 82, when he won't care much, they cannot exterminate the idea which he has let loose in the world. It will go on long after National Socialism has been forgotten and Hitler has reached his proper level in history.

It is probably the most powerful idea loosed in the world since Darwin destroyed religion by the discovery that men are apes. Whether Freudism was a useful idea or not, one doesn't know yet. To many it appears just as disagreeable as the National Socialism which is now attempting to suppress it, but the difference between National Socialism and democracy is that democracy permits ideas, even if they are disagreeable, in the hope that some time a good one may occur.

In the meantime Freud may take some satisfaction in knowing that while National Socialism has only engulfed central Europe, psychoanalysis and its results have engulfed the world. There is hardly a high school child in America whose attitude to life hasn't been affected, and badly, by Freud's notion that sex is everything. A great part of the moral looseness of the age is attributable to his theory that repressions of any sort are dangerous. This is probably not what the old gentleman intended, but all great notions get distorted this way, and a thinker never knows in what grisly form his thoughts may hob up. But at least Freud had an idea. Hitler only has an instinct.

PRISON STRIPES

ONE OF the graver crimes of history is what the provincial government is doing to the Bird Cages. It is painting the Bird Cages, which used to be the Parliament Buildings, and in which Confederation was completed. It has painted out the old red of the Bird Cages and is coloring them grey. That wouldn't be so bad (although some old-timers have sworn revenge at the polls even for this change), but it is worse than grey. The grey is being complicated with a series of cream-colored stripes that are evidently designed to make the ancient buildings look exactly like Bird Cages, a very avian indeed, but an ugly one.

The net effect of the complicated criss-cross pattern is more like a wedding cake of the more vulgar sort. Some people think the design is more like the stripes of a convict's uniform and a badge of shame. In any case, the whole thing is pretty bad, and somebody should stop the painters before they go any further with their surrealist composition.

But nothing will be done. I told you when the City Council perpetrated its outrage on Pandora Avenue that a cult of stark ugliness, a deliberate and savage campaign to ruin the appearance of Victoria, a kind of Nazi purge, would sweep over us. It is sweeping.

Good manners aren't always tactful. If nobody dares to ask her age, it means that everybody thinks she's close to 40.

When foolish modesty blocks reform, always blame men. Woman's modesty is natural, so it doesn't interfere with sanity.

Better English

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "Your ring is different than Mary's."
2. What is the correct pronunciation of "piccolo"?
3. Which one of these words is misspelled? Tomatoes, pianoes, negroes.
4. What does the word "generality" mean?
5. What is a word beginning with "for" that means "exciting fear or dread"?

Answers

1. Say, "Your ring is different from Mary's." 2. Pronounce pik-o-lo, i as in pick, both o's as in no, accent first syllable. 3. Pianoes. 4. That which is general; a vague statement or phrase. "Let us descend from generalities to particulars."—Landor. For-midable.

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Confederation Clinic

J. B. M.'s editorial comment in Winnipeg Free Press on Rowell Commission sessions.

VICTORIA — Battling Senator Farris turned the inquiry into a lawsuit. British Columbia is the first province to hand over the stating of its views to a briefed barrister. The Senator performed accordingly.

Other provinces submitted claims in their own interest but managed to do it in a conciliatory style and to fit the claims into a general plan for rearranging the federal set-up. Maybe these provinces were softies. British Columbia, anyway, doesn't feel obliged to settle the problems of the nation. Senator Farris proposed to prove the plaintiff's case and then let the defendant find the money somehow, on trees, if necessary.

Chief Justice Rowell has several times said this commission is not a court of claims. His idea of that is that it should be a peripatetic conference. He let Senator Farris complete his job of advocacy but was clearly not overjoyed by the turn the inquiry had taken in B.C.

Mr. Farris's main contention is that British Columbia has not got a square deal financially from the Dominion... deserves a special readjustment in addition to whatever benefits flow to it from a general revision of the terms of Confederation. Mr. Farris advanced six reasons for that conclusion. One of them seemed valid. The others were either weak or applied to other provinces with as much force as to British Columbia.

For instance, the Senator noted that British Columbia has difficulty in supplying roads, schools and hospitals for a small population scattered over a territory as big as Britain, France and some other countries put together. (Oddly enough, B.C. wants to annex the Yukon).

The strongest point in the Senator's recital was his demonstration that B.C. as a recipient of Dominion aid in one form or another, has not done as well as other parts of Canada. This seems to be proved by the figures. The system of federal subsidies is certainly one of the craziest arithmetical puzzles ever hatched in the hallucinated brains of public financiers. A long lifetime would be needed to get the hang of it.

The Senator's next point was that British Columbia contributed too much to the federal treasury. It seems that this opulent, sun-warmed province has paid as much income tax to Ottawa since 1917 as Saskatchewan, Alberta and the three Maritime provinces together. This, it proves, as Chief Justice Rowell noted, that British Columbians make more money than other Canadians. Senator Farris stubbornly refused to admit that, thereby ruffling slightly the chairman's usual quiet serenity.

The tariff also hits British Columbia hard, that seemed admissible, but it was too exasperating to hear this answer to the suggestion that this province derives some compensating benefit. The Chief Justice mentioned the duties on fruits and vegetables (the could have mentioned canned fish, too) and the astonishing reply by Mr. Farris was that these duties were not a benefit accruing from the federal union. British Columbia, as a separate state, he suggested, could have a vegetable tariff of its own. As it is clear that Ontario could say the same of motor car duties or Quebec of textile duties, this proposition rather staggered the audience.

What was most surprising in the brief was its lame and impotent conclusion, regarding it as a contribution to a symposium on national issues. Mr. Farris, in fact, offered no conclusion at all on his own initiative. The Chief Justice had to dig out of him the statement that British Columbia would like the Dominion to quit the income tax field. How was the Dominion to make up the deficiency in its budget? That, said Mr. Farris, was Ottawa's affair. The ultramontane school in Canadian politics is clearly not going to be a great help in re-making Confederation.

Parallel Thoughts

And I charged your judges at that time, saying, Hear the causes between your brethren, and judge righteously between every man and his brother and the stranger that is with him.—Deuteronomy 1:16.

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New Budget Plan Is Before City Council

Finance Chairman Suggests Changes to Cut Rate and Restore Wages

A plan for reallocation of sums in the special vote earmarked for debt retirement, which, with previous budgetary revision, would allow a mill and one-half reduction in the tax rate; permit full restoration of civic salaries from July 1; make provision for a \$50,000 sum for street repairs and other maintenance; allow \$110,000 for debt retirement and still leave a \$45,000 contingency fund, was laid before the City Council in estimates committee by Alderman W. L. Morgan, chairman of the finance committee yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was adjourned, after Alderman John Worthington had called for a vote supporting a 42 mill rate, to give council delegates a chance to interview provincial authorities with a request for permission to hold over any annual surpluses which may accrue in the next few years for debt payments as the present and future council might see fit.

Under existing regulations the council is compelled to spend one year's surplus during the next year.

Alderman W. L. Morgan reviewed the budget votes as they stood since revision, stating those for hospitals, charities and the electric lights department were the only ones materially below last year's figures.

He considered the item for debt reduction to be roughly

\$277,000 and suggested the \$110,000 surplus from last year be allocated for that purpose, leaving \$167,000 from that vote.

He suggested \$50,000 be set aside for work on roads and waterworks systems before recommending restoration of civic salaries to their original pre-cut level from July 1. That would cost about \$20,000, he said.

FAVORED WAGE RESTORATION

Alderman Morgan voiced the belief the council should restore wages before making a big allocation for debt retirement.

Making allowances for those suggestions and cutting the tax rate by 1½ mills, from last year's 43½, would still leave \$45,000 in the budget for contingencies, he said.

Debate arose over the application of the 1937 surplus towards meeting city debt. Alderman Morgan favored a plan to pay off as much as possible of the city's borrowing from the bank instead of using the money to purchase the city's own bonds.

He believed the city could reduce its rate, reap the benefit from that, and still leave it pegged at a stable figure to meet debt retirement requirements in future.

Mr. Macdonald was prepared to see the rate cut to 43 mills, but thought further reduction unwise.

Mayor McGavin remarked on the study given the issue by Alderman Morgan and suggested his views should be given as much consideration as those of a man held up as a financial expert.

Mr. Macdonald asked if the council agreed a mill rate increase in 1940 was very inadvisable. With falling assessments that was an eventuality which would have to be faced, he said.

Mayor McGavin agreed with the proposal to restore wages.

TEACHERS' SALARIES

Alderman Alex Peden raised question of restoration of teachers' salaries, if the city employees were going to get their cuts back.

Alderman Morgan declared if the school board came to the council with a request for funds for that purpose he would be prepared to support their requests.

He drew attention to Mr. Macdonald's warning against cutting the rate last year. In spite of the comptroller's misgivings, the city increased wages 5 per cent, met its deficit from 1936 and still finished the year with a surplus.

Mr. Macdonald explained the composition of the original \$250,000, debt retirement item before

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telling the council he could foresee no surplus from this year's estimates. He said he could find no authority to permit the city to lay aside any surpluses which might accrue up to 1940 for application towards the \$158,000 debt retirement requirement in that year.

Alderman B. J. Gadsden, dealing with the pay restoration suggestion, declared himself against a blanket increase until readjustments were made in the lower-paid brackets.

That was understood in his suggestion, Alderman Morgan stated.

TO SEE GOVERNMENT

Alderman Archie Willis suggested the finance committee, with the mayor, city solicitor and city comptroller, interview the inspector of municipalities and the minister, Hon. A. Wells Gray, to see if legislation could

be secured to place any surplus from current revenue into a special fund to meet debt retirement requirements either in 1940 or at any later date. The motion carried.

Alderman W. H. Davies strongly supported Alderman Morgan's suggestion to reduce the mill rate in order to promote home construction here and prevent citizens from going to adjoining municipalities.

Alderman S. H. Okell voiced similar sentiments, declaring reduced taxation would restore confidence in land, place reverted property back on the tax-paying basis and reflect in further revenue to the city.

Mr. Macdonald agreed reduced taxation had restored confidence and encouraged building. He thought a further tax rate cut of one-half mill would continue to stimulate construction and restore confidence.

G. A. Okell, assessor-collector, informed the council it could expect less revenue from tax arrears, since the amount outstanding this year was \$147,000 below that of 1937.

Reversions last year had reduced the assessment for 1938 by about \$500,000, he said.

Alderman Worthington associated himself with those who favored a lower rate.

In reply to question by Alderman Peden, Mr. Macdonald stated reduction of one mill on a property assessed at \$700 for land and \$2,000 on the house would amount to about \$2 in actual taxes paid.

H. S. Pringle, city solicitor, told the council it had to place the \$109,000 surplus for last year into this year's receipts. It could be used for virtually any purpose, provided it was spent this year. It could not, under the Municipal Act, be carried over to next year, he said.

"I'll move we set a 42 mill rate right now," Alderman Worthington said.

His motion was left in abeyance as the committee turned its attention to study of budget votes.

On the suggestion of Mr. Macdonald, the committee increased estimated receipts by a gross

\$3,570, and made an addition of roughly \$3,000 in the amount of the surplus from 1937 to \$111,663.10.

J. C. Oliver Is Named Registrar

The appointment of J. C. Oliver, B.A., B.Sc., as registrar of the

Association of Professional Engineers of British Columbia is announced by the council of the association.

Born in Edinburgh in 1904, Mr. Oliver came to Canada in 1914. He graduated from the University of British Columbia in the year 1926 with the degree of Bachelor of Arts and in 1927 with the degree of Bachelor of Applied Science in

Civil Engineering. He has been connected with the profession since the year 1924, first as a student and finally receiving his license to practice as a civil engineer under the terms of the Engineering Act in the year 1930.

Since graduation with the exception of two years as instructor at the University of British Columbia, Mr. Oliver has been employed by the engineering department of the city of Vancouver and at the present time is assistant engineer.

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Honored By Chapter



Mrs. Wm. Ellis, retiring regent of the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., who was presented with a life membership in the chapter and a beautiful bouquet at the annual meeting today.

I.O.D.E. Aids Many Fine Causes

Mrs. Wm. Ellis In Valetictory Reviews Its Work

"The spirit that has upheld the order for 25 years in Victoria is still evident. Tubercular patients are still receiving care, under-nourished children are helped to strength with milk and cod liver oil, books and magazines find their way into various places where they are very welcome; articles of clothing and other comforts go out to isolated districts. Pictures and libraries are given to adopted schools, which in many cases are small country schools where they are much appreciated. It is in these acts of service to others, which entail not only money but time and thought and a good deal of self-sacrifice that the spirit of the order is best exemplified."

This was one of the interesting comments made by Mrs. Wm. Ellis in her valetictory address before the Municipal Chapter I.O.D.E. annual meeting today, in relinquishing the office of regent which she has held for the last three years. The meeting was held in the Victoria Truth Centre, with a large representation of all the primary chapters in attendance.

SPLENDID WORK

Mrs. Ellis touched briefly upon world events during the last three years, and again urged the chapters to work for peace in every way possible. She reviewed the splendid work carried on by the chapter, recalling the child and family welfare fund, ably administered by Mrs. Geo. Miles for many years and latterly by Mrs. George Mellor; and secondary education, directed by Mrs. F. Beckett and Mrs. M. A. Kent, in the interests of children of ex-service men.

Reference was also made to the good work done by Mrs. A. H. C. Phipps, organizing secretary; to Mrs. J. V. Jones, Echoes secretary; to Mrs. Cashmore, the standard bearer; Mrs. R. Shanks, in keeping alive the interest in the work in India and Susie Sorabji Memorial School; Mrs. Alan Campbell, whose talks on the League of Nations have been inspiring; to Mrs. Peter Cunningham, convener of the endowment fund; Mrs. C. W. Plumb, soldiers' graves; Mrs. H. Catterall, immigration convener; Mrs. Bob Shanks, Girl Guides, and a special word of praise to Mrs. Kylie Symons, vice-regent, who succeeds Mrs. Ellis in office; to Mrs. E. O. Weston, able treasurer, and to Mrs. Wallace Wilson, the efficient secretary.

PRESENTATION MADE

At the close of her address, Mrs. Ellis was presented with a life membership in the Municipal Chapter and a beautiful bouquet of spring flowers in recognition of her splendid services to the order. Mrs. K. C. Symons made the formal presentation on behalf of the chapter, eulogizing Mrs. Ellis's able leadership not only of the Municipal Chapter, but during her 12 years in the order, during the whole of which time she has held office as regent of a chapter.

Following the formal opening ceremonies this morning, the gathering paid a silent tribute to the following members who had passed away during the year: Miss Lydia E. Moore, Mrs. D. R. Ker, Lady McBride, Mrs. James Dunsmuir, Mrs. W. Turner and Mrs. F. R. Wright.

The customary resolution of loyalty to the Provincial Chapter was moved by Mrs. Ellis and seconded by Mrs. K. C. Symons.

CHAPTER REPORTS

Summaries of their year's work was presented by the following primary chapters: Camosun, Gonzales, Sir James and Lady Douglas, Florence Nightingale, Navy League, Mary Croft Esquimalt, Robert Burns McKinnon, Bishop Cridge Ministering, Dr. O. M. Jones, Sir Matthew Ballie Begbie, H.M.S. Resolution, Major John Hebban Gillespie and Royal Bride (Junior).

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Royalty Buys Five-card Bridge

LONDON (CP)—Queen Mary ordered her Christmas cards for 1938—10 months early—at the British Industries Fair. She chose a design of a rose garden with a sun dial.

When the royal party was being shown the new five-suit playing cards for bridge, the Duke of Kent said: "I find contract bridge difficult enough. Another suit will just make it more complicated." The King and Queen, however, bought two packs, the King explaining that they would like to try the game.

One of the things that interested the royal visitors was a white fabric made entirely from spun-glass. "I can scarcely believe it is entirely of glass," said the Queen, while the King, after feeling the material, asked if he could have a suit made of it. It was explained that it had not yet reached that stage of development, whereupon the King remarked with a smile, "Lancashire must look to its laurels."

The King and Queen made many purchases at a stand where a number of soft animals were exhibited. The King turned to the Queen and said: "Thank heaven, the children are not here. We would never have got them away from this stand."

Islanders Hold Ticket in Sweep

NANAIMO (CP)—An unidentified man and woman who bought jointly an Irish sweepstakes ticket in Nanaimo were said today to have drawn a prize, a starter in the Grand National at Aintree, England, tomorrow. It was understood the man lives at Chemainus and the woman at Ladysmith.

ACTRESS INJURED

HOLLYWOOD, Cal. (AP)—Blonde Joan Bennett was slightly injured today when, during a movie mob scene, she was cut on the face with a bayonet.

Home-bred Exotic



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Society

Miss Marion Craig of Vancouver is the guest for a few days of Mrs. E. E. Colbeck, 351 Foul Bay Road.

Mrs. John Hart, Fairfield Road, who has been spending the last few days in Vancouver, returned to her home in Victoria this afternoon.

Mr. Bill Barrett of the staff of the Imperial Bank, Vancouver, who is visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Barrett, Rockland Avenue, will return on Sunday to the mainland.

Yesterday afternoon in her suite in the Empress Hotel Mrs. J. K. Hodges entertained with bridge and a few additional guests at the tea hour, in compliment to Mrs. George Walker, wife of the new assistant manager of the hotel.

At the home of her parents, Hon. J. A. Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald, St. Charles Street, Miss Norma Macdonald entertained at the tea hour this afternoon in compliment to Mrs. Marshall MacPherson of Cranbrook and Miss Dorothy Tremayne of Vancouver.

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Experts Praise Lowly Kipper

NEW YORK (CP)—A plea for the kippered herring is made by cooking experts here. It is a rather neglected food this side of the Atlantic. Americans do not know it from cradle days as do the English and the French, yet it is a succulent, robust delight once your palate accepts its gusty flavor, they say.

A Scottish member of the Home Institute staff, reared in England, suggests eating these smoked delights for supper with plain boiled potatoes, sliced tomatos, bread and butter and plenty of black, strong tea served with milk.

Lay the kippers on a baking sheet on a piece of brown paper and place in a hot oven 10 minutes. You and the oven will smell like the kipper for a week, but there will be no regrets, she says.

Windsors Off On Riviera Holiday

VERSAILLES, France—The Duke and Duchess of Windsor left their Versailles chateau today for a vacation at Cap d'Antibes on the Riviera. They went by automobile. Associates said they expected to remain in southern France for two weeks.

ROYAL OAK

A silver tea was held in St. Michael's Parish Hall, under the auspices of the Royal Oak Cub Pack, Saturday afternoon, Mrs. J. S. Humphries was in charge of the home-cooking stall, and Scout James Smith sold candy. Tea was served by the Cubs. Cub Mistress Elaine Humphries invested her assistant, Miss Ruth Smith, as cub mistress during her month's absence. Those taking part on the program were Miss Elsie Fryatt, Mrs. D. Reid, Helen and Walter Burgess, Lawrence Booth, Alvin Montershead and Vernon Exton.

St. Michael's Junior Women's Auxiliary with their leaders, Mrs. W. J. Quick and Mrs. H. Smallshaw held their meeting Monday afternoon in the Royal Oak Community Hall.

Mrs. and Mrs. B. Lock, Prospect Lake, entertained at a 500 card party at their home, Monday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. J. Messerschmidt, Mrs. R. E. Lohr, R. E. Lohr and J. Messerschmidt.

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To cut fresh bread, heat the blade of the knife in hot water; it prevents crumbling. Do the same in cutting fudge or caramel candy. To cut bread or cake nicely, do it slowly, sawing the knife gently back and forth.

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LOVALON

Cardboard Box As Baby Cradle

KANSAS CITY (AP)—A cardboard box is home for the latest addition to the William C. Wells family.

Neighborly Mrs. Virgie Jones saw right away that the girl was so small an incubator might be needed, so she fitted a grocery carton with pillows and hot water bottles. The baby, who only weighed a fraction over two pounds at birth, has gained three-quarters of a pound in four days.

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Chemainus

The 16th anniversary of the Chemainus Women's Benefit Association was observed last week by a social in the small recreation hall. The president, Mrs. Katharine Knight, presided. Games and competitions, in charge of Mrs. Freda Devitt's group, were enjoyed. Prize winners were Mrs. Devitt, Mrs. Knight's team and Mrs. Adelaide Syme. A large birthday cake, with 16 lighted candles, centred the table. The cake was made and donated by the W.B.A. deputy, Mrs. H. English, and decorated in review colors by Mrs. Sophie Syme. Supper was served by Mrs. Somerville and her committee.

The monthly meeting of the Chemainus Guides' Association was held at the home of Mrs. Russell Robinson, the president. An invitation from the Nanaimo Guides for the Chemainus Guides to join them again this year in the summer camp was discussed, but nothing definite was decided. The need of Guide leaders was discussed, the Guide captain and the acting Brown Owl being at present without assistance.

Fastening Grinder

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A Recent Bridal Party



Mr. and Mrs. Albert Charles George, the former Miss Ann Jessiman Singer, are shown with their attendants following their marriage at St. Mark's Church on Saturday evening. In the group, from left to right, is: Miss Mary Duncan of Duncan, the bridesmaid; the bride and groom, and Mr. Harold George, best man.

Gen. Watson Ends Life in England

LEAMINGTON, Eng. (CP)—Shot through the head, Major-General Hugh Wharton Watson, D.S.O., 56, head of the British military mission attached to the army of Iraq, was found Wednesday on a roadway near here. A double-barrelled gun lay beside the body. General Watson had recently arrived in England on sick leave.

Improves Whipping Cream

An unbeaten eggwhite added to whipping cream gives added texture and fluffiness to the cream.

SOCIETY

The Oaklands P.T.A. will hold one of their popular old-time dances in the school auditorium on Friday evening, with Don Gayley as M.C. Stewart's orchestra will give instruction in the dances from 8 till 8.30. Refreshments will be served.

Miss Irene McAdam and Miss Freda Blyth were joint hostesses at a tea and linen shower given in Miss McAdam's home, 1750 Oak Bay Avenue, yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Alma McKay, a popular bride-to-be. The guest of honor upon her arrival was presented with a corsage bouquet of violets and yellow freesias. A large "water lily," fashioned of yellow and green crepe paper, was set on a table in the living-room and contained the many useful gifts. Later tea was served by the hostess, the table being prettily arranged with a mixed bouquet of spring flowers as its centerpiece and lighted by tall yellow tapers. The guests were Mrs. A. Creffield, Mrs. L. E. Leonard, Mrs. Anderson, and Misses A. Davis, T. Walker, A. Parkinson, I. Restall, V. Ovenden, E. De La Haye, W. Bleasdale, V. Mylrea, H. Harvey, G. Schroeder, W. McAdam, D. Short, P. Williams, A. Buckle and L. Robinson.

Miss Doris Benwell, who is to be married shortly, was the guest of honor at a delightful miscellaneous shower given yesterday evening by Mrs. R. C. Benwell and Mrs. S. A. Benwell at the home of the former. On her arrival, the guest of honor was presented with a dainty corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and sweet peas by her niece, little Doris Benwell, who also handed her the many lovely gifts concealed in a hope chest, decorated in pink and gold. Supper was served from a prettily appointed table centred with pink carnations and pink tapers. Cards and games were enjoyed. The other guests included: Mrs. A. Dakers, Mrs. E. G. Benwell, Mrs. W. Lamerton, Mrs. T. F. Wallace, Mrs. W. Blair, Mrs. L. M. Corke, Mrs. W. Renouf, Mrs. G. Burns, Mrs. W. Flude, Mrs. A. Rudge, Mrs. H. Paltz, Mrs. N. Renouf and the Misses Vida Dakers, Irene Wallace, Pat Palin and Bernice Flude.

CATHOLIC C.Y.O.

C.Y.O. meeting of Our Lady of Lourdes will be held at the Parish House on Friday evening at 8.15.

RUGS CLEANED AND REPAIRED

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NEW METHOD

Wide Business Aid Plan in U.S.

WASHINGTON (AP)—Secretary of the United States treasury Henry Morgenthau announced today President Roosevelt had asked a committee of high federal officials to prepare a program of financial aid to business.

Artists' Model



Being decorative runs in the family of 81-year-old Mrs. Inger Nelson, above. She's the grandmother of Ann Sothern of the films, and herself is one of the most popular models at the Minneapolis School of Arts, where she lightens the rigors of long posing periods by knitting. The dress is one she brought with her from Denmark nearly half a century ago.

WILL IS FILED

VANCOUVER (CP)—The will of Herbert Heber Pidcock, Campbell River guide, who died February 24, was filed in Supreme Court yesterday.

He left a net estate of \$6,353 to his widow, Ella Marguerite Pidcock of Campbell River, B.C.

Wax on Sashes

If window sashes or drawers stick, rub paraffin wax along the edges and this will make them slide easily.

News of Clubwomen

To ensure their publication, reports of meetings of organizations or groups should be sent in within two days of their happening. Notices intended for this column on Saturday must be written and handed in not later than Friday.

Pride of Victoria Lodge No. 55 will hold its business meeting on Saturday afternoon at 2.30 in the Orange Hall, Courtney Street.

Miss P. Richards, a returned missionary, will be the speaker of the meeting of the Y.P.S. of the Christian Missionary Alliance to be held tonight at 8.

The Craigflower W.I. will hold a dance and card party Friday at St. Martin's-in-the-Field Hall; 500 will be played and prizes given.—Refreshments will be served.

The Overseas-Nursing Sisters branch of the Canadian Legion will meet on Saturday afternoon at 3 at the Britannia branch club-room, when Mr. Jack Neary, delegate to the Dominion convention, will give his report.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid of Belmont United Church was held on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jenkin, Vining Street. The president, Mrs. Emery, presided, and 17 members answered the roll. The visiting committee reported 20 calls made. Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Benson were appointed a visiting committee for the coming month. Two readings were given on the life of St. Patrick. The meeting was brought to a close with the Mz-pah benediction, after which refreshments were served by the hostess.

The daffodil tea held in St. Mark's Church hall yesterday afternoon was an unqualified success. Mrs. C. Porter, convenor of the decorations, had decorated the hall with her usual artistic result, and the program arranged by Mrs. A. Cullen added much to the pleasure of the afternoon. Encores were accorded to each of the following: Jean Routley, who gave a piano solo and songs; Nora Cullen, recitations, and Kenneth Tupper, songs, with Mrs. Owen Jull as the sympathetic accompanist. A delicious tea was served by Mesdames Newman, Linfoot, Cox and Franklin.

W.B.A. Rose Court Holds Social

The W.B.A. Junior Rose Court held a social evening on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. G. Gaetz, the junior supervisor. The president, Elaine Coates, opened the proceedings. Fancy work, made by the juniors, was sold at a stall attractively decorated with St. Patrick's Day colors, to raise funds for the club's future activities. During the evening the guests, who included parents and friends, also Mrs. J. Bowden, president of the W.B.A. Lodge, and Mrs. H. Barracough, president of the Qu Alex Girls' Club, were entertained by the members of the Rose Court.

Greatly enjoyed were the piano solo by Hilda Jacques, recitations given by Billy Gaetz, Sonia and Milly Leiper, Doreen Coates and Veronica Mark; Thelma Gaetz's solo, "When the Mighty Organ Played O Promise Me," and the Irish jig danced by Helen C. Jacques to her sister's piano accompaniment. Later refreshments were served from a table covered with an Italian lace cloth, with a large bowl of daffodils in the centre surrounded by green tulle. Pinned to the cloth were numbers of shamrocks, which had been hand-painted by the juniors. The members are reminded of the monthly meeting and practice to be held on Saturday afternoon at 2 in the Women's Institute Rooms, Fort Street.

HEARST'S SON WEDES

NEW YORK (AP)—Blue-eyed Heber Chandler, once called "New York's prettiest showgirl," was married yesterday to David Hearst, 22, son of publisher William Randolph Hearst, in Grace Episcopal Church where the bridegroom's father was married.

The bride, 17, a blonde with a page-boy bob, wore a sand-colored spring suit with a cluster of yellow orchids.

After the ceremony, performed by Rev. Dr. W. Russell Bowie, rector, the couple sailed on the Queen Mary to spend six weeks in London and Paris.

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		Mince Meat 10¢	
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	FRESH SPINACH, 3 lbs. 17¢	FRESH SPINACH, 3 lbs. 17¢	FRESH SPINACH, 3 lbs. 17¢	FRESH SPINACH, 3 lbs. 17¢	FRESH SPINACH, 3 lbs. 17¢

FRUIT DEPT.		SPECIALS		FLOUR	
FRESH RIPE TOMATOES 10¢ lb.	GREEN ONIONS, 4 bunches 10¢	Embossed Paper Napkins, 10¢	Embossed Paper Napkins, 10¢	Embossed Paper Napkins, 10¢	Embossed Paper Napkins, 10¢
	CRISP WHITE CELERY, each 11¢	Jergen's Floating 25¢	Jergen's Floating 25¢	Jergen's Floating 25¢	Jergen's Floating 25¢
	MAINTOSH OF DELICIOUS 2 lbs. 25¢	Carbolic Soap, special, 6 for 25¢	Carbolic Soap, special, 6 for 25¢	Carbolic Soap, special, 6 for 25¢	Carbolic Soap, special, 6 for 25¢
	APPLES, dozen 19¢	Borden's Cher. Malted Milk, 16-oz. special 35¢	Borden's Cher. Malted Milk, 16-oz. special 35¢	Borden's Cher. Malted Milk, 16-oz. special 35¢	Borden's Cher. Malted Milk, 16-oz. special 35¢
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Peaches, tin		White Beans, lb.		Rice, lb.	
Apricots, tin	White Beans, lb. 5¢	White Beans, lb. 5¢	White Beans, lb. 5¢	White Beans, lb. 5¢	White Beans, lb. 5¢
Fancy Pink Salmon, tin	Rice, lb. 5¢	Rice, lb. 5¢	Rice, lb. 5¢	Rice, lb. 5¢	Rice, lb. 5¢
Lobster Paste, tin	Baby Soap, cake	Baby Soap, cake	Baby Soap, cake	Baby Soap, cake	Baby Soap, cake
Asparagus Tips and Ends, tin	Tomato Juice, 10½-oz. tin	Tomato Juice, 10½-oz. tin	Tomato Juice, 10½-oz. tin	Tomato Juice, 10½-oz. tin	Tomato Juice, 10½-oz. tin
Tuna Flakes, ½ lb. tin	Classic Cleanser, tin	Classic Cleanser, tin	Classic Cleanser, tin	Classic Cleanser, tin	Classic Cleanser, tin
Bran, 2-lb. sack	Vanilla Flavoring, bot.	Vanilla Flavoring, bot.	Vanilla Flavoring, bot.	Vanilla Flavoring, bot.	Vanilla Flavoring, bot.
	Custard Powder, pkt.	Custard Powder, pkt.	Custard Powder, pkt.	Custard Powder, pkt.	Custard Powder, pkt.
	Caramel Pudding, pkt.	Caramel Pudding, pkt.	Caramel Pudding, pkt.	Caramel Pudding, pkt.	Caramel Pudding, pkt.
	Clo-Rex Bleach, bot.	Clo-Rex Bleach, bot.	Clo-Rex Bleach, bot.	Clo-Rex Bleach, bot.	Clo-Rex Bleach, bot.

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National Red-KOMO (1290), KPO (680), KQA (830), KFI (640), National Blue-KJR (770), KGO (790), Columbia-KIMO (710), KVI (560), KMX (1490), Mutual-KOL (1270), Canadian-CBR (1100).

Tonight

5 March of Time-National Blue, Rudy Vallee-National Red, Howie Wing, aviation-Mutual, Maurice's Orchestra-Columbia, By request-CBR, Cruise of the Pull Parrot-KOL at 5:15.

5:30

Betty McKinley-National Blue, Grant and Ross-Columbia, School of the Stage-KOL at 5:45, Little Orphan Annie-Mutual at 5:45, Boake Carter-Columbia at 5:45, School of Music-National Blue at 5:45.

6

Drama Hour-Canadian, Major Bowes' Amateur Hour-Columbia, Good News, Robert Montgomery, Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney, Cecilia Parker-National Red, Scandinavian-KJR, Phantom Film-Mutual at 6:15, Serenade-KJR at 6:15.

6:30

Frank Bull, sports-Mutual, Town Meeting of the Air-National Blue, News Flashes-KOL at 6:45.

7

Bugs Crosby, Bob Burns, Trotter's Orchestra-National Red, Mary to Man Sports-Columbia, Hollywood Serenade-Mutual, Popular Program-CBR, Rhythm in the Breeze-Columbia at 7:15.

7:30

Americans at Work-Columbia, Musical Review-Mutual, Night Club, Ransom Sherman-National Blue, Perle, Grofe-KJR, Drums-CBR.

8

Amos 'n' Andy-National Red, De Voer's Orchestra-National Blue, News and Weather-Canadian, Scatlogood, Baines-Columbia, Headlines-KOL, The Schiller Review-National Blue, 8:15, Youth Interventions-Canadian at 8:15, Hollywood Serenades-Columbia at 8:15, Standard Symphony-National Red at 8:15.

8:30

Kate Smith's Show-Columbia, Frank Trombador's Orchestra-National Blue, Reckless-Canadian, Evening Concert-KOL, Musical Moments-Mutual at 8:45.

9

Newspaper of the Air-Mutual, Moonlight, dramatic serial-Canadian, Roger Fry's Orchestra-National Blue, News-KJR, House of the Dead-KOL at 9:15.

9:30

Carvel Craig's Orchestra-National Red, Garwood Van's Orchestra-National Blue, Kay Kayser's Orchestra-Mutual, European Gaities-Canadian, Henry King's Orchestra-Columbia, University Explorer-National Blue at 9:45.

10

Crescenta-National Blue, News Flashes-National Red, Book Review-National Blue, L. A. Philharmonic, dinner at Ambassador Hotel-Columbia, Joe Richman's Orchestra-Mutual, Carl Ravassa's Orchestra-National Red, at 10:15, News and Weather-Canadian at 10:15.

10:30

Everett Hoagland's Orchestra-Mutual, Billy Moore's Orchestra-National Blue, Hal Bradley's Orchestra-National Red, Musical Tidbits-Canadian, Ted Rio's Orchestra-Columbia, 10:45.

11

Herbie Kay's Orchestra-National Red, Jay Whidden's Orchestra-Mutual, Charles Runyan, organ-National Blue, Musical Salvation-National Red, Harry Owens's Orchestra-Columbia, 11:15.

11:30

Archie Loveland's Orchestra-National Red, Jan Garber's Orchestra-Mutual, Black Chapel-Columbia, 11:45, Musical Program-Mutual at 11:45.

Tomorrow

7

Grand National-Canadian, Top of the Morning-KOMO, Church of the Air-KJR, Devotionals-KVI.

7:30

Financial Service-National Blue, Josh Higgins-National Red, News-KOL and KVI, Vancouver Ensemble-National Blue at 7:45, GYM of the Air-CBR at 7:45.

8

Aunt Jemima-National Red, Mary Margaret McBride-Columbia, Boy and Girl Friend-Mutual and Canadian, Vaughn de Leath-National Red, Time for Thought-National Blue, Friendly Garden-KOMO, News-KJR, Edward Gurney-National Blue at 8:15, The O'Neills-National Red at 8:15, Boris C. Hill-Columbia at 8:15, D'Arcy Marsh-Canadian at 8:15.

9:30

National Farm and Home-National Blue, Emerson Giff's Orchestra-National Red, Sketches in Black and White-Mutual, Dick Fidler's Orchestra-Canadian, The Romance of Helga Trent-Columbia, Our Gail Sunday-Mutual at 9:45, Streamline Swing-Mutual at 9:45.

10

The Happy Gang-Canadian, Carlie and Louisa-National Red, Betty and Bob-Columbia, Cowboy Joe-KOMO, Mrs. Wiggs-National Red at 10:15, Betty Crocker-Columbia at 10:15, Carole Robinson-Mutual at 10:15.

10:30

John's Other Wife-National Red, Arnold Grimm's Daughter-Columbia, Mother-in-law-National Blue, Cecil Bly-KJR, Voice of Experience-Mutual at 10:45, Valiant Lady-National Red at 10:45, Plain Bill-National Red at 10:45, Jack and Loretta-National Blue at 10:45.

11

Big Sister-Canadian and Columbia, String Quartet-National Blue, Walker's Kitchen-National Red, Argentine Trio-National Red at 11:15, Music Appreciation-Canadian at 11:15, Aunt Jenny-Columbia at 11:15.

11:30

De Charming-National Red, American School of the Air-Columbia.

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TOMORROW

Charm Counselor-Mutual, Ray Harrington-National Blue, Agriculture-National Blue at 11:45, Julia Blake-National Red at 11:45.

12

Pepper Young's Family-National Red, O'Brien's Hi-Hats-National Blue, London Calling-Canadian, Beaux Arts Trio-National Blue at 12:15, Max Perkins-National Red at 12:15.

12:30

Vic and Sade-National Red, Before the Senate-Columbia, Better Business-Mutual, Club Lunch-National Blue at 12:45, Guiding Light-National Red at 12:45, The Newyeds-Columbia at 12:45, Good Health-Mutual at 12:45.

1

Club Matinee-Canadian, Myra and Marge-Columbia, Paul Martin's Orchestra-National Red, Kelly Kelly-Columbia at 1:15, Mary Martin-National Red at 1:15.

1:30

Club Matinee-National Blue, Hughes-National Red, Dr. Kate-National Red at 1:45, Rock a Weir-Mutual at 1:45, Life's Like That-Columbia at 1:45, Dr. Daise-Columbia at 1:45.

2

Martha Meade-National Red, Neighbor Nell-National Blue, Follow the Moon-Columbia, Larr and Len-KJR, Mary Solters-Columbia at 2:15, The Bookends-Mutual at 2:15, Don Windsor-National Blue at 2:15, Songs by Carole-National Red at 2:15, Treasure Island-Canadian at 2:15.

2:30

Rakov's Orchestra-National Blue, Happy Jack-National Red, Through a Woman's Eyes-Columbia, The Deebels-Canadian, Closing Stocks-Canadian at 2:45, Hilltop House-Columbia at 2:45, Johnnie Johnston-National Blue at 2:45, Three Homes-National Red at 2:45, Reveries-Mutual at 2:45.

3

Sepitany's Orchestra-National Blue and Canadian, Education in the News-National Red, Feminine Fancies-Mutual, Free Radio News-Columbia, Candid Lady-National Red at 3:15.

3:30

Woman's Magazine-National Red, Golden Journeys-Canadian, Judy and Her Jesters-Columbia, Dr. Van Wyck-Mutual, Yagobson's Orchestra-National Blue at 3:45, Chiquito-Columbia at 3:45.

4

Nola Day-National Blue, Dorothy Mackenize-National Red, Romand's Orchestra-Canadian, Major Bill-Canadian at 4:15, Behind the Headlines-National Blue, 4:15, Larry Lewis-National Red at 4:15.

4:30

The Four of Us-National Blue, Hendrik Willem Van Loon-National Red, Organ Recital-Canadian, Craig Matthews, tenor-National Blue, 4:45, Bughouse Rhythm-National Red at 4:45, Canadian Portrait-Canadian at 4:45.

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Tomorrows

7:45-Wake and Sing 11:00-Star Parade 8:00-Salute 12:00-Concert Hour 8:15-News 12:30-News 9:00-Notes and News 12:45-Varieties 9:30-Financial 1:00-Healing Words 9:45-Symphony 1:15-People's Orch. 10:00-Monitor 1:25-World Bookman 10:30-Bye Bye 1:30-Friendly Hour 10:30-Art Fairs

DEFENCE WAR IS SUGGESTED

PRINCETON, N.J. (AP)—A United States-French-Russian war on Germany, Italy and Japan, says Dr. William F. Dodd, former United States Ambassador to Germany, is the only way for the three former nations to "retain their former status quo."

"Germany, Italy and Japan, when united in the next war, will form the strongest military power since Napoleon," he said in an interview in the current issue of the Daily Princetonian, Princeton University undergraduate newspaper.

"If France, the United States and Russia want to retain their status," he said, "they had better declare war on the three military machines before they gain too much momentum to be stopped."

HOUSE PROROGUES IN SASKATCHEWAN

REGINA (CP)—The fourth session of the Eighth Saskatchewan Legislature was prorogued Wednesday night by Lieutenant-Governor A. P. McNab, who gave assent to 96 bills approved during the 43-day session.

The session marked one of the heaviest financial programs ever laid before the province, with total estimates, ordinary and supplementary, exceeding \$60,000,000, of which the federal government will assume \$26,200,000 for relief expenditures. The budget anticipated a deficit of nearly \$2,000,000, less any additional subsidy Ottawa may grant the province and which last year amounted to \$1,500,000.

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RADIO GROUP NAMES HEADS

Technicians Hear Reports of Progress at Annual Meeting

Reports showing marked progress had been made during the second annual meeting of the Associated Radio Technicians of B.C. (Victoria branch) held last evening at the Royal Colwood Golf Club. The secretary expressed thanks to the Dominion Government radio inspector, Eric Sealey, for his splendid co-operation with the association in the matter of eliminating interference in this district.

The newly-formed up-Island branch of the association was represented by six members, headed by Bob Humphrey of Nanaimo, while the parent body in Vancouver was represented by Arthur Houghton.

The following executive was selected for the ensuing year: President, Eric Young; vice-president, Frank Ross; secretary, G. Warnock; treasurer, J. Pearson; record secretary, G. Murdoch.

After the election of officers the members adjourned to the dining-room where a sumptuous banquet was held followed by a community sing, in which the members were ably assisted by Harold George on the violin and Hubert Linnell at the piano.

A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the up-Island members for assisting with the election and also to the members of the respective committees for the excellent arrangements for the evening. Mr. Houghton expressed his appreciation on behalf of the parent organization for the splendid turnout of members, and the evident progress which has been made by the unit in such a short time.

Du Pont States All In U.S. Could Work

WILMINGTON, Del. (AP)—Lammont Du Pont, president of E. I. du Pont de Nemours and Company, Inc., declared Wednesday he had not "the slightest doubt" United States business could find work for all who "want a job" if given "reasonable certainty" conditions would remain "reasonably stable."

But, he added, "permanent relief" for the needy might become necessary "if business is to be permanently overtaken, handicapped and impeded."

Japanese Diet Expels Member

TOKIO (AP)—The Diet disciplinary committee Wednesday expelled from Parliament Suhiro Nishio, Social Mass Party member, for demanding during a recent debate that the premier should "act boldly, like Hitler, Mussolini and Stalin."

It was stated Diet members did not object to references to Hitler and Mussolini, but were "outraged" by the suggestion that Premier Prince Fumimaro Konoye should emulate Stalin.

Baritone Will Sing at Church

Fred Wright, well-known baritone, has arranged two groups of solos for the concert to be given by the Georgian Choristers in Fairfield United Church on Friday evening at 8 in aid of the church funds.

His first group will include: "The Horn" (Flieger) and "Floral Dance" (K. Moss), and the second group, Rodney's well-known song, "Forging the Anchor" and Russell's "Young Tom o' Devon."

The Haydn quartette, consisting of Chris Miller, first violin; John Pimm, second violin; Gilbert Margison, viola, and Herbert Botten, cello, will play Haydn's "Rondo Presto" from his quartette, Opus 33, No. 2, and the Scherzo from Beethoven's Opus 18, No. 24.

Kathleen Stokes, soprano, will sing Elgar's "Pleading" and Pearl Curran's "To Eostra," while Lillian Meston will sing Brahms' "Sappho Ode" and Zucca's "I Love Life." The choir's vocal trio, comprising Mesdames L. Meston, C. Hardy and M. Gurney, will render "Turn Ye to Me" (Davis), and "Mighty Like a Rose" (Niven).

The choir, under the leadership of Mrs. Georgina Watt, will give 14 choral numbers. Miss Ethel James will be the accompanist.

AIR FORCE OF CANADA GROWS

OTTAWA (CP)—Hon. Ian Mackenzie, Minister of Defence, intimated in an address to the Dominion of Canada Rifle Association Wednesday that within a year the Dominion would, in addition to land and sea defences, have a powerful fighting air force.

Delay in the Canadian program, he said, had been due in large measure to the gigantic program being carried out in Great Britain. Difficulty also had been encountered in getting big guns in Canada, but it would soon be possible to obtain these.

The Department of National Defence was concentrating on protecting Canada's coasts, Mr. Mackenzie said, and also on the preservation of Dominion neutrality.

Three Officers Of R.C.M.P. Promoted

OTTAWA (CP)—Promotions of three senior officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police to executive posts were announced from the office of the commissioner Wednesday.

Assistant Commissioner Denis Ryan, now stationed at Regina, was appointed acting deputy commissioner; Assistant Commissioner Charles H. King, at present officer commanding A Division here, was appointed director of the criminal investigation department at Ottawa, and Assistant Commissioner Thomas Dann, now stationed at Winnipeg, was named director of police training here.

Assistant Commissioner R. L. Cadiz, stationed at Vancouver, will succeed Dann at Winnipeg; Superintendent C. H. Hill, now at Winnipeg, will succeed Cadiz at Vancouver.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

BROTHER combinations in hockey—at one time more plentiful than in any other major sport—are starting to crack apart. Not that members of the same families participating in hockey are fewer, for here are more than ever before, but one or all the brothers are beginning to slip out of the top line of puck chasing. The 1937-38 season marked the fadeout of the Conacher brothers, Lionel and Charlie. Lionel could have continued with the Montreal Maroons but went on the shelf of his own volition because of his seat in the Ontario Legislature, and his vice-chairmanship of the Ontario Athletic Commission. Charlie was forced out by a failure of his single kidney to function properly.

The two Jacksons—Busher and Art—are retaining their places under the big tent, although Art was down river with Syracuse in 1936-37. Busher continues with the Toronto Maple Leafs, while Art now is back with the Boston Bruins.

Of the three Boucher brothers, who once were active simultaneously in major league hockey, the lone survivor is Frank, and he serves only as general utility forward as well as assistant coach with the Rangers. George is manager of the Springfield Indians and Bill is managing an amateur team in an English league.

The Jerwas—Joe and Frank—once were on the Boston roster together. Joe now is with the New York Americans, while Frank has slipped back to the minors.

Jack and Frank Doran are still following the rubber disc, but they're doing their chores in the minors. Jack with Pittsburgh and Frank with Syracuse.

Sprague and Odie Cleghorn also are back-tracking, Sprague having been manager of several minor league outfits, and Odie having accepted a referee's post in the National League.

Jerry Shannon has continued to stick with the Montreal Maroons but brother Charlie now does his bit with the Syracuse Stars. Both are forwards.

The Mantha brothers did a 50 per cent disappearance when Sylvio, veteran defenceman, was let out by the Boston Bruins, with whom he had tried a comeback after being idle for a full season. George, however, continues as one of the mainstays of the Maroons.

The Patricks—Lester and Frank—were playing pals in their major league days, but now Lester manages the Rangers and Frank keeps busy on the Pacific Coast. However, the Patricks have formed another brother combination with Lynn and Murray, better known as Muzz, sons of Lester, both playing with the Rangers.

Both Cook brothers—Bill and Bun—forward stars for a long time with the Rangers, went into the minors as managers this season. Bill handling the Cleveland Barons successfully and Bun piloting the Providence Reds.

The two Thompsons—Tiny and Paul—are continuing among the cream of the crop, however, Tiny still being one of the leading goal-tenders in the business with Boston, while Paul continues to snipe away from the Chicago Black Hawks front line.

Neil and Mac Colville are cogs in one of the most efficient scoring machines on the ice, skating in the Rangers' front line. The Kilrears are an up and down combination. Hee, veteran forward with the Detroit Red Wings, seems to continue with eternity, but Wallie has slipped back to the minors after various trips under the big top.

Both Desse and Earle Roche have also fallen from the top flight, Earl now playing his stick with the Cleveland Barons and Desse having seen service with several minor league outfits.

A few of the combinations rise and fall together, but the heartaches come when the boys, after basking alongside one another for years, come to the parting of the ways.

Blue Shirt Favorite For Great Steeplechase To Be Run Tomorrow

AINTREE, England — The Grand National Steeplechase, Britain's annual lapse from sanity, will be run for the 100th time tomorrow—and even if no horse finishes the course it'll be an historic event.

All the trimmings have been arranged. Champagne has been reduced to six shillings a swig. Daffodils are down to a penny a bunch. And if most of the 250,000 persons here choose the daffodils, it'll establish a new all-time Grand National record.

These 250,000 have been congealing Liverpool for 24 hours now. They've evidently been at Grand Nationals before, because they all look as if they're expecting something to happen.

That something will start happening at 3.15 p.m. (7.15 a.m. P.S.T.) when 36 of the world's greatest leapers start down "Sulide Lane." Last year 33 started out; seven got home. There have been times when they didn't have enough finishers to make up a win, place and show. The only thing different this year is that the field is not as good as usual.

This famous course forms a sort of vague triangle. It is bordered by two railroad tracks and the Leeds-Liverpool Canal. There are two farms on it, three roads running through it and still room for 250,000 people.

BLUE SHIRT FAVORED
Tomorrow the horses must do everything but jump the canal. They must leap 30 fences, four brooks, four ditches and stay on their feet for four miles and 856 yards if they want to win.

The horse favored to do this better than the others is Arthur Sainsbury's Blue Shirt, wild little chestnut gelding which won his last three races at four miles and has been knocked down to odds of 100 to 12 for the National. He is carrying only 142 pounds, which is exactly 33 pounds less than Royal Mail, last year's winner, which is the second favorite at 10 to 1.

Blue Shirt, Royal Mail, James V. Rank's 10-year-old Coolen, a 100 to 8 shot, and J. B. Snow's Delachance are first four betting favorites in that order.

The winning owner will get approximately \$35,000, but the horse that comes in will be carrying much more than that sum. In sweepstakes prizes the victor will distribute \$2,400,000.

COME ON ALL ROADS
The vanguard of the expected crowd of 250,000 arrived. One railway company is running 52 race specials, carrying some 30,000 men and women from places as far apart as London, Swansea and Edinburgh.

Many are traveling by air. More than 20 airliners, some from the continent, were expected at neighboring air ports. Shipping companies have made special arrangements. The Ile De France is calling specially at Plymouth. The Duchess of York is delaying her departure for Canada until the race is over, and a special tender will convey racegoers to the liner lying out in the Mersey ready to weigh anchor.

A description of the race is scheduled over CBC stations at 7 tomorrow morning.

Memorial Cup Field Reduced
The Memorial Cup hockey race in western Canada narrowed to Edmonton Athletic Club and St. Boniface Seals today, while six teams remained in the east. Edmonton eliminated Saskatchewan Chiefs last night, as St. Boniface toppled Port Arthur West Enders from competition and Sudbury Cub Wolves ousted North Bay Trappers. The line-up now is as follows:

Maritime—Halifax: Quebec-Quebec Beavers, Verdun; Ontario—Sudbury, Oshawa, Perth. Manitoba—St. Boniface, Alberta—Edmonton.

HELEN MOODY ON SQUAD
NEW YORK — Helen Wills Moody will return to Wightman Cup competition this summer for the first time in six years, it was revealed last night by the United States Lawn Tennis Association in announcing the makeup of the 1938 team.

WOMEN'S BOWLING
Season averages in the Women's Commercial Fivepin Bowling League follow:

TEAM	AVERAGE
Lucky Thirteen - E. Ames	191
Coast Highway - A. Armstrong	180
Devonshire Bakery - J. Hepburn	181
Woolworth - A. Clouston	169
Olympians - G. T. Jones	168
Victorians - C. Burley	164
Redskins - V. York	163
Merry Macs - P. Robley	175
Merrie Kersey - E. Reid	173
High average - E. Ames	191
Second high average - K. White	189
Third high average - T. Goodman	188
High team - Leeds, Green	188
Second highest team - Coast Highway	180

Victoria Daily Times

Lower Island Juvenile Champions



Above is pictured Manager Henry Tooby's Esquimalt Meat Market football team which recently captured the lower island (under 14) laurels. They also hold the city championship and will now prepare for their sudden-death bid for island laurels against Nanaimo. This smart bunch of young football stars came through the season with 12 wins out of 16 games, losing two and drawing in the other two. Those in the picture are: From left to right, back row—Fred Tooby, trainer; J. Jenkins, J. Evans, D. McLean, J. McAllister, D. Brown, P. Malloy, R. Merrick, S. Hitchman and Henry Tooby, manager. Front row, C. MacDonald, J. Newman, A. Jenkins, G. Creed, E. Young, A. Young, J. Knowles and J. Buxton. The little fellow in the centre is Bryan Tooby, mascot.

Smoke Eaters Roar Through Flin Flon

Trail Wins 6 to 0 Over Saskatchewan Champs in Allan Cup Series

CALGARY — It was another "Trail night" in Calgary last night.

The Smoke Eaters, British Columbia-Alberta senior hockey champions, boosted their Allan Cup stock again, this time defeating the Flin Flon Bombers, Saskatchewan titleholders, in the first game of the Allan Cup western semi-finals. And it was another shutout, 6 to 0.

Goalie Duke Scodallero and Ab Cronie, former Calgary star center, shared honors for the winners. It was the Duke's fourth straight shutout. Despite the shutout, Buddy Simpson in the Flin Flon net, played a spectacular game, warding off many of the fiery Trail attacks, especially in the final session. Many power plays were attempted by the Bombers. Reg Andrew and Parson Brown showed some fast ice work only to be stopped by Scodallero.

"We like to end 'em quick," said Coach Elmer Piper of the Trail squad before game time and after a scoreless first period he was satisfied.

OPENS SCORING
Cronie started the night's scoring in the second session and came back to net two more in the final and assist in one.

Dave Duchak, the stellar first string man, Joe Benoit and Jimmy Morris accounted for the others.

The first period was an end-to-end attack one; the second was Trail's though the Bombers, without scoring had a good share of the play but the third ended in a rout for the Flin Flon stickmen.

The last goal of the night came from the stick of Jimmy Morris who, on an assist from Dick Kowcinak scored less than three minutes before the final bell.

Today the teams leave for Saskatoon where the second game will be played Saturday and a third, if necessary, Monday.

The Bombers' coach, Odie Lowe, looked for a comeback on Saskatoon ice. It was a disappointment for the Saskatchewan winners to lose last night but they took it in their stride after the tough series which brought them to the western semi-finals.

It was their 13th game in 26 days.

SUMMARY
First period—Scoring—none. Penalties—none.

Second period—1, Trail, Cronie (Snowden), 3:04; 2, Trail, Duchak (McCreedy), 6:34. Penalty—McCreedy.

Third period—3, Trail, Benoit, 4:33; 4, Trail, Cronie (Benoit), 15:56; 5, Trail, Morris (Cronie), 17:10. Penalties—Morris, Kowcinak.

UNION JACKS TAKE CALGARY
RAYMOND—Raymond Union Jacks outplayed Calgary Grills 6 to 3 here last night in the first game of their total-point series for the right to enter the Alberta men's senior basketball finals against University of Alberta, northern champions. Second game will be played in Calgary on Friday night.

SPENCERS AND BAYS IN FINAL
Store Elevens Beat Gorge Hotel and Navy in McKay Shield Semi-finals

Hudson's Bay and Spencer's midweek soccer elevens emerged victorious over the Navy and Gorge Hotel, respectively, yesterday afternoon in semi-final contests at the Athletic Park to advance into the final of the McKay Shield knockout series.

The Bays, who were crowned Wednesday League champions last week, coasted through the sailors to a 4-to-0 shutout, while the Diamond 5 club shellacked a nine-man Gorge Hotel squad, 6 to 1. The latter was the second match on the double-header attraction at the enclosure.

In the opening half of the Bays-Navy scrap the boys from the Naval Barracks did practically all the pressing. They trained their big guns on the departmentals' goal and for 90 per cent of the session maintained a withering fire on the docket. But no hits were scored. The Bays stuck to their posts and drove the invaders back consistently. A capable goal guardian in the person of Albert Renfrew took care of all the dangerous thrusts at his net. In this stanza the green and gold sweated lads were too busy on the defence to do much attacking. Bays managed occasional rushes. "Scotty" Gelling notching a goal for them on one of these periodic minutes from the interval. The Navy muffed plenty of good scoring chances.

LOSE AGGRESSIVENESS
The Navy seemed to lose most of their former aggressiveness in the final half. There was not near the punch in their attacks. Hudson's Bay found lots more time for offensive play and took advantage of their opportunities. Before the closing whistle sounded they were another three goals up on the sailors. Two of these were accounted for by Bert Fogden, bustling centre forward, the other by Jimmy Oakman, inside left. Robinson and Murray were replaced by Hibbert and Harvey on the Navy line-up in this half, and it did not appear to do the team any good. Percy Shrimpton refereed.

Teams follow:
Hudson's Bay—Renfrew, Wyatt, Preston, Williamson, Stoffer, Crees, Gelling, McBride, Fogden, Oakman and Speller.
Navy—DeCosta, McDonald, Kennedy, Sands, Robinson, Gagnon, Geddes, Marr, Peakman, Ross, Murray, Hibbert and Harvey.

The final match was a complete washout. It did not provide very much excitement for the fans, Spencers having matters practically their own way over the weakened hotelmen, who were two short of their quota of players.

The storemen speared the net three times in the first half and added another trio in the final drive for good measure. Toward the latter part of the match Spencers, leading by a handsome margin, were to meet Navy.

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Final Power Drive Puts Dominoes 2 Games Up

SAANICH GAINS SOCCER FINAL

Defeating Esquimalt 2 to 0 in Fragments of France Cup Series

Defeating Esquimalt 2 to 0, schoolboy soccer stars from Saanich played into the final round of the annual Fragments of France Cup series yesterday at Oak Bay Park. Both goals came from the toe of Druce, Saanich's centre-forward. He scored one in each half.

Although outweighed man for man, the Esquimalt youngsters turned in a commendable exhibition against the heavier Saanich squad. Outstanding for the winners were Druce, Speller and Forman.

Druce scored his first goal of the game when Molley, Esquimalt goalie, slipped, and the Saanich centre shot one past him. Only the steady play of Forman in the Saanich goal prevented the duckyard youngsters from equalizing later in the session. A smart passing play in the final canto saw Druce break through for the second goal.

The other semi-final in the series will be played at Oak Bay Park tomorrow with Oak Bay opposing Victoria. The former are present holders of the cup. The match will start at 3.45.

TOP SCORERS REAFFIRMED
Lynn Patrick Eighth in American Division Standing

MONTREAL — Nobody had any doubt about it since the volunteer statisticians figured things out after the schedule closed, but just to settle it for the records the National Hockey League bestowed its official 1937-1938 crown last night on Gordie Drillon of Toronto Maple Leafs. After a season of traveling at better than a goal-a-game clip, the young second-year wingman came up with a point total of 52 to beat out his teammate, Syl Apps, by a couple of shots. More than that, his 26 actual tallies were good enough to lead the league by three in the goal-getting department.

Syl wound up with 21 goals and 29 assists, to stamp himself the league's leading helper on scores. Second to him in this division came Art Chapman of Americans, with 27.

Paul Thompson of Chicago Black Hawks, speeding down the stretch with a great finishing drive, wound up at the top of the American division. His 21 goals and 22 assists gave him a five-point edge on Cecil Dillon of New York Rangers and Bill Cowley of Boston Bruins.

Lynn Patrick, Rangers, was listed eighth in the American division with 15 goals, 19 assists, 34 points, and 24 minutes in the penalty box.

NEWLYWEDS DRAW HORSE
Home of Their Own Ideal to Be Achieved By Toronto Couple

TORONTO (CP)—Joe and Annie Lichtig, bride and groom of less than a year, soon will be able to afford a small home of their own. And if Rock Lad wins the Grand National Steeplechase Friday they will be able to have a big home, too.

Joe and Annie, both 22 years old, scraped together enough pennies from their meagre earnings as knitting-mill workers to buy an Irish Sweepstake ticket this year. They combined both their names and wrote "Joanie" as the non-de-plume on their ticket.

The ticket was drawn Monday on "Rock Lad," the only Canadian-owned horse in the big race. Joe and Annie refused \$2,800 for a half share of their interest. No matter how the race comes out they will receive \$2,300.

But they also have a chance for \$150,000 first prize. Rock Lad, a 100 to 1 shot, is owned by H. R. Bain, Toronto broker.

Experts Watching Leafs For Upset

Figure Toronto Power May Offset Boston Record in Series Starting Tonight

Because so many signs indicate a swift Boston triumph in National Hockey League finals, that's a main reason why Toronto should be watched.

Boston's bashing Bruins stand to knock aside the Maple Leafs in three or four games of the best-of-five series which starts at Toronto tonight. With the sounder defence and the league's ranking goalie, they've beaten the Maple Leafs in five or six schedule meetings. And they've run up the best record of any division champions in seven years.

But the same clubs have met three times before in the Stanley Cup series and each time Toronto has won out. You can't undersell a team that has come from behind as often as the Leafs.

Shore is in there again after being counted out of hockey last spring because of a back injury. He's been the inspiration to a bruising defence whose other members are Jack Portland, Busher Hollett and Dit Clapper. Tiny Thompson has had one of his best seasons in goal. Bill Cowley, Charlie Sands and Ray Gettiffe have led the best attack Boston has known since that great Bruin brigade of 1930-31.

All that power has made Boston an 8 to 5 favorite to capture this round and go on to meet New York Rangers, New York Americans, Montreal Canadiens or Chicago in Stanley Cup finals.

LEAFS' PUNCH
Yet the Leafs must have had, and have had, something to lead their section. They've had the league's two top scorers in Gordie Drillon and Syl Apps, the two highest-scoring defencemen in Red Horner and Jimmy Fowler, and a hot-and-cold goalie in Turk Broda. In other words they've shown punch and they might be punching when they meet Boston.

Babe Pratt returns to Rangers' defence tonight as the subway series continues at New York with Americans a game ahead. His knee still tender, the lanky Pratt may have enough to spell the difference that would level the best-of-three round—Americans needed two periods of overtime to take the opener 2 to 1. Manager Lester Patrick will dress five defencemen, though, in case Pratt's injury hasn't recovered sufficiently.

Canadiens are out to finish up their round with Black Hawks in consecutive games as it continues in Chicago. Winning 6 to 4 in Montreal Tuesday, they played without defenceman Marty Burke who is still too ill to start. The Habitués have one of the league's worst road records but they're saying now that Chicago's goalie, Mike Karakas, has slipped. The tip-off may be right there.

You Figure It

DOMINOES

Player	PG	Sec	Thrs	TL
Bardsley	2	1	0	3
Willoughby	2	1	0	3
Mayra	0	1	0	1
Gordon	0	1	0	1
Gross	0	0	0	0
Beaton	2	0	0	2
Ritchie	0	0	0	0
Totals	13	8	12	11

* In the score sheet officially signed and delivered, Ross was credited with four field goals and two converted foul shots, but he was given only eight points in the total.

The debate arises mainly over the scores credited to Beaton. Beaton put in a shot as he was fouled. In the individual scores he was given credit for that basket, but in the running score, which corresponds to the inning-by-inning count in a baseball game, those points were omitted.

The sheet discloses a simple error in addition in the total for Ross. Beaton's points, however, will probably be the deciding factor in the protest that has been launched.

The scorer's report was signed by both referees.

CAGE CAPERS

Those wishing to get out of the gallery for a smoke at half time had to burrow their way through the mass of humans packed in the like sardines. The majority feigned that luxury in favor of holding down their observation points. Last night's attendance was one of the largest that has ever squeezed into the High School gym. It is estimated 1,200 people took in the show.

During some of the hectic moments when the teams were battling it out on even terms the roar from the mob seemed to rise and fall like the thundering surf. At times it was deafening.

Colin McBride, the Domino Mascot who pots baskets from centre like a veteran, becomes quite useful to the team at times. He keeps the lads posted on the time, especially when the going is tough for the Dominoes near the finish. He uses the sign language and a shrill, piping voice.

Said one Victorian to an ardent Western supporter at the finish of last night's battle: "Now don't be going home with that time-worn excuse 'We was Robbed.' He got a sneer from the mainlander.

A pretty-looking blond over the north-end hoop worked on a neat set of manicured fingernails with nervous teeth. She bounced up and down like a rubber ball and when the Dominoes sniped the hoop, she nearly went over the rail.

An ardent local basketball fan bet his week's pay on the Dominoes to win both home games. He'll use the winnings to see Nicol's lads perform in Vancouver.

Middle-aged female in the row behind: "Dear me, they have their winter underwear on!" She was referring to the long white sweatpants worn by the Western gentlemen.

For all his frail appearance Willoughby still plays a sizzling game of basketball. Jo Jo Ross, lofty Vancouver centre, takes enough rebounds during a game to satisfy ten men.

"Age cannot wither, nor custom stale their infinite variety," a fellow said once about the ladies. How true could be the application of the same phrase to Chuck Chapman and more particularly Wally Mayers?

"Chuck," who is long past the age when he got his own front door key, not only added to his game last night the experience of innumerable play-off battles, but displayed the vigor, stamina and speed of a youngster. And Mayers, who started in senior A company about 16 years ago, still has legs that answer the demands of an exceptionally smart basketball player's brain.

You've got to hand it to Jo Jo Ross, Westerns' big jump man. This lad, who stands inches taller than his teammates, may have been suffering from a severe case of laryngitis on his arrival here, but a mere handicap of that sort did not stop him from coming out tops in the scoring on the first night and runner-up last night. According to reports, Jo Jo stuck to his bed yesterday and appeared quite refreshed from the rest. He was a going concern, making

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Rally Nets Locals One Basket Edge

Come From Behind in Torrid Fourth Quarter to Beat Westerns 34 to 32

Two up on Westerns, unless that team's protest over last night's score is upheld, Victoria's strong finishing Dominoes prepared today to carry their British Columbia men's senior A basketball championship feud into the enemy's territory, Vancouver, for the third game of the best of five series tomorrow night.

While an over-capacity crowd howled itself to a headache in the High gym last night, the lanky Victorians in a hair-raising last quarter drive smashed through a slender Vancouver lead-five minutes from time to rush in three field baskets, a pair of free shots and beat down a gallant rally by the visitors to win 34 to 32. Dominoes took Tuesday night's series opener 57 to 47.

Chuck Chapman, sparking the Dominoes all the way, put Victoria ahead 28 to 26 with five minutes to go as Jimmy Bardsley left on four personals. Red Davies sank a foul shot. Hank Ross popped in a set up; Busher Jackson ran through to score neatly from close in and the locals had a 33 to 26 edge. Willoughby scored and Beaton counted a foul shot to cut the lead to 33 to 29. Davies converted another free throw as Wally Mayers went to the show. Willoughby drifted in a pretty shot seconds from the end to make it 34 to 31 and Gordon dropped through a free shot after the gong had sounded in bedlam.

WESTERNS GET LEAD
Westerns started with a bang. Bardsley scoring a foul shot, Ross tapping in a rebound and Willoughby netting another basket as the Vancouver men set up a 5 to 0 lead in the first three minutes. Chuck Chapman finally found the range with a drifter, but Willoughby and Mayers offset it with free tosses from fouls by Davies.

Art Chapman netted a free shot to bring the score to 7 to 3 and Rowe scored a nifty to make it 7 to 5 before Bardsley counted again on Art Chapman's foul. Willoughby scored on a smart block to raise it to 10 to 5 and Chuck Chapman and Taylor brought the Dominoes up to within one point as the quarter ended with Westerns leading 10 to 9.

The score mounted without more than three points between the teams. Dominoes seized a short-lived lead at 15 to 14 as Jackson raced down the court to score a lovely one-hander from the sidelines right after Taylor had countered from the other lane.

VISITORS AHEAD
Beaton, playing a terrific game, snatched back the margin with a long shot and the half ended with Westerns up 16 to 15.

Fighting uphill, Dominoes trailed for the first eight minutes of the second half, but rallied and went ahead again when Chuck Chapman looped in another long shot to make it 22 to 21 for Victoria. Bardsley put the teams even with a free shot to send them into the third quarter all square.

Ross converted two fouls and Bardsley flashed in under the hoop for his second field goal, while Taylor converted one shot as Westerns went in front 26 to 23.

With eight minutes to go, Rowe slipped in a rebound from Jackson's shot. Art Chapman scored one foul to tie up the game at 26 to 26 with five minutes left, and the gallery roared.

The Victorians opened up their barrage. Chuck Chapman, Hank Rowe and Busher Jackson firing field baskets to set up a seven point lead, and then held on until the gun as Westerns chipped it down to two.

In the preliminary, a sudden death intermediate B girls provincial final, Bob Whyte's Adverts put up a game but losing struggle to the stronger Vancouver L.L. squad. M. McDonald lead the local sharpshooters with 14, while R. Pansis with 10 were tops on the visitors' offensive. I. X. L. won 51 to 27.

Sooke intermediate B hoopers won the Saanich and Suburban League championship last night when they defeated Colwood at Lake Hill, 31 to 18. In the preliminary match Sooke juniors won a 34 to 32 decision from Esquimalt.

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Rain Makes Picking Close As Gordon Head Nears Half-way Mark

A pale yellow like moonlight covers the fields of Gordon Head, the little Holland of Vancouver Island.

There is not the sweep of gold which thrilled so many people out driving last year, but there are just as many if not more daffodils there. Only the wet weather of the last few days has forced growers to pick so closely that only buds are left.

Gordon Head is nearing the half-way mark in its daffodil season. Already it has shipped tons of these golden flowers to the prairies and even further east.

Over 750,000 daffodils have been picked on this point only a few miles from the city which is so ideally suited to the growing of bulbs. The crop this year is expected to be over 2,000,000 daffodils.

Of course, this does not take into account the whole island as there are plantations and some of them large ones in Sidney, Metochin and Cowichan.

Gordon Head, however, can claim to be the little Holland of the island. On either side of Ferndale and Tyndall Avenues there is practically nothing else but bulbs being grown.

Beside 15 acres of daffodils, there are about 5 or 6 acres of tulips this year, and there will be about 20 acres of gladioli, if the large shipments of gladioli bulbs which have been arriving for the past month or so are planted in the area.

The winter was just about perfect for bulbs, and even the growers admit it, but they complain about the price which is said to be not as good as last year. However, there is no slackening in the moving of these flowers and the demand is good though prices are low.

Not a grower in Gordon Head anticipates he will have daffodils for Easter which is on April 15 this year.

"If the weather continues cool like this we'll have daffodils, but if it gets hot, there won't be a yellow flower," one grower said. However, there will be some narcissus (white pleasant eye) to ship.

The wet weather in the middle of the season has made picking and packing a little more difficult but has not damaged the flowers to any serious extent.

AINTREE TO ARAES

LONDON (CP)—The British Broadcasting Corporation's distribution of "counter-propaganda with truth" has taken a new turn. To increase its listening public in the Near East the BBC has engaged an Arabian expert on horses to broadcast an account of the Grand National Steeplechase at Aintree next Friday.

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"It's Grandpa's favorite chair."

British Soccer League Standings

Up to and including games of Saturday, March 19, 1938

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division

P. W. L. D. F. A. P. Goals

Arsenal 31 16 7 8 52 37 40

Blackpool 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Blackburn 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Birmingham 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Bristol City 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Bristol Rovers 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Bury 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Cardiff City 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Charlton Athletic 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Derby County 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Doncaster Rovers 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Grimsby Town 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Hull City 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Leeds United 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Leicester City 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

Liverpool 31 15 8 7 52 37 40

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British Never Again To Send Big Army To Fight in Europe

Ferdinand Kuhn's London Cable to New York Times

LONDON—Great Britain served notice today that she would never again send great masses of her manhood to fight and die in the mud of future European battlefields.

Hereafter Britain will keep her infantry strength at home and in strategic points of the Empire. Leslie Hore-Belisha, War Secretary, announced in moving the adoption of the army estimates before the House of Commons. If troops are to be sent to help French or other allies, they will be a highly specialized army on wheels.

In other words, Britain appears to have reverted to last of the theory of "limited war" with which she broke the might of Napoleon. There will no longer be battles like that of the Somme, with 1,000,000 British fighting men engaged and 60,000 slaughtered in a single day. But the British fleet will ride the seas, British economic power will be thrown into the scales and what is new since Napoleon's day—a British air fleet of immense size and power will ride the skies.

FINDS GAIN IN DEFENCE POWER

"History sometimes repeats itself, but rarely in the same context," Mr. Hore-Belisha told the Commons. "The assumptions of an unforgettable past are not always the surest guide to an unpredictable future. The power of defence has increased since the close of the last war, as anyone will realize who has been privileged to see the mastery and formidable defences of the Maginot Line, constructed with all the ingenuity and thoroughness of a great military nation."

The problem of holding positions is not a problem of personnel in the same degree as it was. The extent to which we may be required or expected to send assistance for an ally and what form it should take must be related to new considerations. It must be remembered that support on land is not the only support we can offer."

Altogether the most sweeping scheme of army reform in 70 years was outlined to the Commons by Mr. Hore-Belisha, who has already smashed more military precedents than any minister in a generation. Not only did he sound the death-knell of Viscount Haldane's 1907 conception of an expeditionary force, but also foreshadowed the end of the so-called Cardwell system, under which the best-trained units of the British Army have been drained overseas ever since the 1860's.

For the first time Mr. Hore-Belisha established an order of priority in the British Army's duties, and decided its foremost task was to defend the homeland.

ARMY NEEDED AT HOME

"In preparing the army for war the menace of air attack is a primary consideration," he said. And in view of air-raid risks he argued that a large, well-distributed army was needed right at home to maintain order and clear communications.

In the field of Empire defence he came close to proposing the creation of a separate Empire army. Since air attacks could endanger the lines of communication, he announced, Britain could no longer rely upon rushing reinforcements from home to threatened points of the Empire during a war. It would be necessary, he said, to maintain Empire garrisons in peace time at strength adequate for their defence on the outbreak of war.

Moreover, he added the revolutionary proposal that regional reserve forces should be maintained—one perhaps in India, one in Malaya and one in Palestine—in places from which troops could be rushed most rapidly to the nearest points of danger. In this connection he announced the re-examination of the entire British military policy in India so that Britain would not be compelled to keep a rigid number of men in the army there regardless of greater dangers that might develop elsewhere.

NEW TYPES OF DIVISIONS

Mr. Hore-Belisha proceeded to demolish the idea of a fixed, stereotyped division of 12 battalions. Hereafter, he said, the British Army would have two types of divisions and variations within the types—one type a motorized division based on the light machine gun, the other a mechanized, armored division based on the tank. The new divisional structure would be contained. The speaker complimented the forestry department on its valuable work on the many parks in the province.

The Victoria member spoke of the necessity of conserving Vancouver Island timber, particularly where new roads were being constructed. In this regard the timber reserves were of prime importance.

The fourth Wednesday of each month, instead of the second, was set aside as meeting night for the Ward Four Association. A social evening will be held on April 27 it was announced.

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It is well known that certain diseases prevail alarmingly where eggs are lacking in the diet.

Dr. McCollum, a prominent scientist, has expressed the belief that the real reason why the men and women of China and Japan are small in stature is that their diet has been faulty, lacking mainly in eggs and milk. In fact, he believes that differences both in body and mental equipment are differences due to diet rather than race. The use of eggs in a limited way by the Chinese, Dr. McCollum says, has saved them from extinction; but they use no milk and not enough eggs.

LANGFORD

Mrs. T. G. Wilkinson of Gorge Road, a former resident of Langford, welcomed the members of the local W.I. at her new home Tuesday afternoon for the March meeting. Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen presided. The need of more entries for the Victoria Fall Fair was discussed and members voted for a W.I. floral exhibit and promised a trophy in that connection. Mrs. Bullen, Mrs. Smith and Miss L. M. A. Savory were named on a committee to serve with members from Luxton, Happy Valley and Colwood in substitutes for a joint flower show in mid-summer.

Members of the Langford and Colwood A.Y.P.A. visited the Dominion Observatory at Gonzales Tuesday evening. They then inspected the new plant of the Northwest Creamery. Members are requested to attend the evening service next Sunday at St. John's Church, Colwood.

Belle of Civil War

WASHINGTON — Mrs. Philip H. Sheridan, widow of a Civil War general, is dead at 88. Beautiful and in her teens during Sheridan's famous ride, she became his second wife and was a belle of Washington and army society before and after her marriage.

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Dr. McCollum, a prominent scientist, has expressed the belief that the real reason why the men and women of China and Japan are small in stature is that their diet has been faulty, lacking mainly in eggs and milk. In fact, he believes that differences both in body and mental equipment are differences due to diet rather than race. The use of eggs in a limited way by the Chinese, Dr. McCollum says, has saved them from extinction; but they use no milk and not enough eggs.

LANGFORD

Mrs. T. G. Wilkinson of Gorge Road, a former resident of Langford, welcomed the members of the local W.I. at her new home Tuesday afternoon for the March meeting. Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen presided. The need of more entries for the Victoria Fall Fair was discussed and members voted for a W.I. floral exhibit and promised a trophy in that connection. Mrs. Bullen, Mrs. Smith and Miss L. M. A. Savory were named on a committee to serve with members from Luxton, Happy Valley and Colwood in substitutes for a joint flower show in mid-summer.

Members of the Langford and Colwood A.Y.P.A. visited the Dominion Observatory at Gonzales Tuesday evening. They then inspected the new plant of the Northwest Creamery. Members are requested to attend the evening service next Sunday at St. John's Church, Colwood.

Belle of Civil War

WASHINGTON — Mrs. Philip H. Sheridan, widow of a Civil War general, is dead at 88. Beautiful and in her teens during Sheridan's famous ride, she became his second wife and was a belle of Washington and army society before and after her marriage.

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will hold daily sessions from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m., and from 2 to 4 p.m., from Monday to Friday, inclusive, in the Immigration Building, foot of Burrard Street, Vancouver, B.C., beginning on Thursday, the 24th instant.

All persons having information concerning the illegal entry to Canada of alien immigrants are invited to submit it to the Board in person or by letter. All communications, however made, will be treated as confidential.

H. L. KEENEYSIDE,
Chairman of the Board.**B.C. Marketing Control Scored****Basil Gardom Says Ottawa Should Have Sole Power; Attacks System**

"What we require is better business in government and less interference by government in business," declared Basil Gardom, president of Primary Products Publishing Company, in presenting a brief to the Rowell Commission opposing government control of marketing.

Claiming support from 23 organizations of fruit growers, beef cattle men, sheep breeders, lumbermen, fish packers and milk producers, Mr. Gardom submitted "that the power to regulate natural products should remain with the Parliament of Canada and be their responsibility only."

The general theme of Mr. Gardom's brief was that the province should clear out of the market control field completely. He quoted T. G. Norris, K.C., on marketing boards exceeding the limits of their authority.

Mr. Gardom said that marketing control in this province, going on in one form or another since 1928, had resulted in "steady degradation of the agricultural industry in all its branches, causing actual financial loss to the

mer on the land running into millions and keeping capital for by-product factories out of the province."

"We are dealing with realities," Mr. Gardom said. "The theory of government control of distribution of primary products has been tried in the balance and found to be a costly failure."

"What British Columbia needs today is less talking and more doing, fewer exponents of theory and less government control, less restriction of trade and more freedom for capital and labor in primary industry, which creates all new wealth."

Voluntary marketing as opposed to compulsion would provide, he said, freedom of choice of a practical plan; orderly and lawful promotion; strict regulation of quality, quantity and service; maintenance of bargaining power, and a fair price to consumers and a reasonable price to producers.

Government control, Mr. Gardom said, meant compulsory restriction and artificial price—whereby a premium upon scarcity—maintained by boards set up by order-in-council.

Overnight Entries At Bay Meadows

First race—Four furlongs: Valzetta 108, Jones Girl 109, Miss Orah 104, Floumou 109, One Mile 112, Grassington 104, Baby Curia 112.

Second race—Six furlongs: Clean Up 108, Miss Chase 105, Hassan 106, Bostford 101, Mr. Tom 101, Apollo 106, Quill Tree 109, Real Clear 106, Angerion 116, Flying Belle 110, Charming Lady 101.

Third race—Six furlongs: Wyoming 112, Tanager 104, Chase 109, Santa Monica 104, Pulvin Pride 111, Donnacora Kid 114, Little Kev 114, Bill Bone 109.

Fourth race—Six furlongs: Sky Shoot 113, El Cerrito 116, Carlie 107, Veracidad 105, Pat 108, B. 106, Marie Juliet 106, Neda Lady 106, Lee Torch 106, Mida R. 102, Cortella 106, Chastis 108.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Luck Charm 105, Balkan Land 113, Beau Nada 115, Prevaricate 114, Berenda 110, San Jose 108, Emurante 108.

Sixth race—Mile and one-eighth: Had-tobe 110, Torquil 112, Tornillo 112, Pitter Pat 113, Pandan 111.

Seventh race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Dilemma 107, Winterset 108, Lavermark 109, Real Clear 108, Sharp Girl 105, Wild Turkey 106.

Eighth race—Mile and one-sixteenth: Blue Hour 113, Daily News 107, Nappus 107, Karak 107, George Renfree 113, Dr. Susan 112.

Wider Ottawa Control Urged**Young Liberals Would Turn Income Tax, Social Services to Dominion**

While endorsing fully the provincial government's claim for "better terms" within Confederation, the Vancouver Young Liberal Association presented to the Rowell Commission today proposals at variance with the government's views on points covering income tax, treaty-making powers, health insurance and procedure for constitutional amendments.

In a brief submitted by D. M. Owen, they proposed that sole powers should rest with the Dominion Government to legislate on the following matters:

1. Unemployment relief and unemployment insurance.
2. Problems of marketing.
3. Supreme authority to pass treaties and put them into effect without sanction of the provinces.
4. All social legislation, including old age pensions, mothers' pensions, health insurance, minimum wage and hours of work laws (with the provision that individual provinces should be able to legislate in advance on these measures).
5. The sole right to levy taxes on the income tax of the individual.
6. The sole right to amend the Canadian constitution with the Supreme Court of Canada as the court of last resort on constitutional issues instead of the Privy Council.

Mr. Owen said the constitutional structure governing the various legislative bodies of Canada was "antiquated and misconstrued," which had barred a proper solution to social problems and kept Canada disunited ever since Confederation.

He proposed an entirely new constitution to replace the B.N.A. Act and urged economy by avoiding duplication in government services.

He suggested a formula for protecting minority rights under more centralized control. This would take the form of a referendum in localities affected by federal legislation, particularly on social matters. As an instance he said the Oriental question in British Columbia could be dealt with in this fashion.

Elderly Man Found Dead on Roadside

The body of Richard Chapman, Saanichton, was found on the East Saanich Road last night. It was thought the deceased was a victim of a sudden heart attack.

The body was first seen by E. Barker and J. Skinner of Sidney, who notified the Saanich police. Sgt. E. F. Elwell arrived on the scene about 10:15 and took charge of the body. Chapman was aged about 75.

The body is at Sands' Mortuary.

CRAYON FOR GREY HAIR

A hair-coloring crayon is proving very popular among United States women, worried about the appearance of their first grey hairs. The pencil is simply moistened, like a nail-white pencil, and applied to the hair. The coloring is not a dye or a bleach, as it washes out very easily. The pencils are made in black, dark brown, medium brown, light brown, ash blonde, golden blonde and auburn.

TOWN TOPICS

Dr. J. S. Gull and L. D. Rines were elected to membership in the Victoria Rotary Club today.

Ward One Liberals will meet tomorrow evening at 8 in Liberal headquarters. Alan Chambers will be the speaker.

City police are investigating a complaint received yesterday evening that a man sleeps each night in Belmont United Church, Belmont Avenue and Pembroke Street.

Technocracy, Inc., will hold its weekly discussion meeting to night at 222 Pemberton Building. The subject will be "There will be no chance for Fascism or Communism on this continent."

C. L. Harrison will give a talk on "The West Coast Road," at a meeting of Ward Three Liberals this evening at 8 in the Liberal Headquarters. The executive of Ward Three will meet at 7:30.

W. Hyde of the Victoria Wrecking Company complained to police this morning that a gang of boys was doing damage to a house which his company is demolishing at 421 Craigflower Road.

Bank clearings in the city for the week ending today were \$1,437,437 according to a statement from the Victoria Clearing House. Figures for the corresponding period last year were \$1,546,771.

Fines of 2.50 on each count were imposed by Magistrate Henry Hall in City Police Court this morning on a motorist who pleaded guilty to driving through a red traffic light and reversing direction unlawfully on a street.

There will be a public welcome home to Adjutant Charles Watt at 8 tonight at the Salvation Army Citadel, Broad Street. He has been on a short visit to his aged mother in Aberdeen, Scotland. The Youth Group will be in charge of the meeting, and their band and singing company will take part.

City police yesterday afternoon investigated a complaint from the Cameron Lumber Company that a man and a boy were sawing the ends from stamped logs on the beach between the Canadian Pacific Wharf and the Bapco plant. A number of blocks of wood were found on the beach, but none bore stamp marks.

Under the auspices of Ward Two Saanich Liberals, 150 people filled St. Mark's Hall Monday last to hear W. T. Straith, M.P.P., speak on his trip to the Orient. The ladies served refreshments, with Mrs. R. Gray convenor. Dancing continued until a late hour, with Jack Antrobus's orchestra supplying the music.

There will be special services held in St. John's Church tomorrow, starting with Holy Communion at 10:30 a.m., and in the afternoon at 3 p.m. the annual service of the Mother's Union will be held, when the address will be given by Rev. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick. All members of the Mother's Union in Victoria and vicinity are invited, and also all those concerned in the sacredness of family life.

The Oak Bay young people held their regular weekly meeting on Tuesday evening with Vern Gilson acting as president. The evening opened with a worship period in charge of Rev. F. R. Dredge, after which the minutes were read by Ray Hollins and announcements by Vern Gilson. Lindsay Alexander lead the group in a lively song, after which Muriel Patterson took charge of a short recreation period.

Close to 300 delegates are expected from local youth organizations at a rally to be held this evening in the Chamber of Commerce Auditorium in support of a civic auditorium. It will start at 8. A section of the auditorium has been reserved for the general public, although only delegates will be permitted to take part in the meeting. Norman Foster will be chairman. The speakers are: Alderman James Adam, Mrs. A. McGregor, E. H. Harris, W. C. Moresby, K.C., and E. Taylor.

Car and Violin Are Recovered

A car and violin which its owner values at \$500 were recovered by city police last night a few hours after they had been stolen from in front of the Odd Fellows' Hall.

J. C. Fuller, 396 Constance Avenue, owner of the car, and the violin which had been left in the back seat, told police the vehicle had been driven off during ten minutes which he spent in the hall.

Police found the car later at night on Douglas Street and apprehended a youth who was arraigned in City Police Court this morning and remanded till tomorrow by Magistrate Henry Hall.

TWO STORES BROKEN INTO**Radio and Stamps Stolen From Yates St. Building; Transfer Office Entered**

A radio and two dozen stamps were stolen by thieves who broke into the store of Mackenzie, White and Dunsuir Limited, 826 Yates Street, during the night.

The break-in was discovered by Constable S. T. Holmes a few minutes before 2 this morning. Detective P. W. Richards and Sergeant Arthur Bishop attended and found entrance had been gained by breaking the glass of the back door and drawing the bolt and removing a wooden bar. Allan Pinton, manager of the store, reported the safe had been moved some 20 feet from its normal position. The safe had not been broken, but drawers were ransacked.

The premises of the Merchants' Transfer Company, 737 Cormorant Street, were also broken into during the night, but nothing was reported taken. Entry was made by breaking the padlock on the front door.

National Library For Canada Urged

Establishment of a national Canadian library and abolition of the present excise tax of 3 per cent on books bought by libraries were the principal submissions made in a brief presented by John Ridington, University of B.C. librarian, before the Rowell Commission this morning for the B.C. Library Association.

A national Canadian library with research facilities similar to those now offered by the British Museum in London, and the Library of Congress at Washington would be of inestimable value to students throughout the Dominion, Mr. Ridington said.

The present library of Parliament at Ottawa, he said, was merely a "collection of books for the peoples' representatives." It had neither staff, necessary organization, book resources nor funds to give a semblance of national service.

Referring to the difficulties imposed by the present excise tax on books purchased by libraries, Mr. Ridington pointed out that present regulation necessitates clearance through customs of all parcels of books. The university library, he said, pays about \$300 annually under this law.

"It is a tax on education," he said, "and as such is levied against the means of the dissemination of knowledge." A reduction in current postage paid by book purchasers was also urged upon the commission. A rate of three cents for the first pound and two cents for each successive pound in weight was recommended. This would bring the cost of postage on the average book to 10 cents to borrowers living remote from library centres—five cents for the outgoing journey and five cents for the return.

Meeting to Hear About Zeballos

R. T. Mitchell, publisher of the Mining News and chairman of the mining division of the Vancouver Board of Trade will address a luncheon meeting at the Empress Hotel tomorrow at 12:10 on mining in British Columbia with particular mention of west coast mineral development at Zeballos. The meeting is being held under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce and all interested are invited to attend.

Says Overlapping Being Wiped Out

J. B. Munro, B.C. Deputy Minister of Agriculture, told the Rowell commission this morning that duplications in the duties of federal and provincial departments of agriculture were being gradually eliminated, although there was some overlapping still in poultry inspection, veterinary work and similar things.

The poultry services, he said, were definitely not getting together for the best advantage of the poultry men so that the industry in a whole was not in as good a position as it should occupy. He saw no value in Ottawa having poultry promoters in the province.

Touching on possibilities of land settlement, he said only 2 per cent of B.C. land was suitable for agriculture, but even then the agricultural population could be increased five times if markets were available. He agreed with Chairman Rowell that a "peasant class," doing subsistence farming only, could make a living without the added markets.

OBITUARIES**LOTTIE TERESA FORSTER**

The death occurred at the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday of Mrs. Lottie Teresa Forster, wife of G. E. Forster, 264 Crease Avenue, aged 48 years. She was born in Teeswater, Ont., and had resided in this city for 31 years. She leaves her husband, one daughter, Miss Mary E. Forster; two sons, George E. and James E. Forster, all in Victoria; her mother, Mrs. James Strath, Neepawa, Man.; four brothers, Eric Strath, Neepawa, Man.; Ernie Strath, Shoal Lake, Man.; Wesley Strath, Calgary, and Evan Strath, Detroit, and a sister, Mrs. Fred Rowe, Shoal Lake, Man. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, and the funeral will be on Saturday morning, the cortege leaving the chapel at 8:45 and proceeding to St. Andrew's Cathedral, where mass will be celebrated at 9. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

EMMA L. CALLADINE

Funeral services were held in McCall Brothers' Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon for Mrs. Emma Louisa Calladine. Rev. E. O. Robathan officiated. The hymn "Where the Light Forever Shinet" was sung. Cremation took place in Royal Oak Crematorium.

HAROLD LOVICK

In the presence of a large congregation, funeral services for Harold Lovick were held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel yesterday afternoon. Rev. A. E. Whitehouse officiating. The hymns "Lead, Kindly Light" and "Abide With Me" were sung. A profusion of beautiful floral tributes surrounded the casket. The following were the pallbearers: Honorary, A. G. Munger of King Solomon No. 17, A.F. & A.M., New Westminster; R. E. Taylor of University No. 91 A.F. & A.M., Vancouver; D. J. Hayhurst, Stanley, Wright of Mr. Lovick's staff; Herbert Taylor, Vancouver, and A. Wrightmeyer of the Toronto publishers; active, T. H. Davies, W. D. A. Ayton, William Duncan, A. E. Brown, W. Craigmyle and A. Robinson of A.F. & A.M. The remains were laid at rest in Royal Oak Burial Park.

EXPLAINS ACT TO ROTARIANS**B. Goult Tells Club of Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act**

B. H. E. Goult, secretary-registrar under the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, discussed the operation of the recent legislation to members of the Victoria Rotary Club at luncheon today at the Empress Hotel.

"There has been more legislation of this nature placed upon the statute books of the Dominion this past year, than in all the 100 years preceding," Mr. Goult declared. During 1937 Alberta enacted the Federation of Trade Unions Association Act; Nova Scotia, the Trade Union Act; Manitoba, the Strikes and Lock-outs Prevention Act, and British Columbia, the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act.

The British Columbia Act, he said, had granted rights and privileges. It had disseminated responsibilities and those responsibilities had been undertaken splendidly by the organizations and individuals affected. "Over 300 organizations of employees have already made certain returns as required by the statute, while 15 employer organizations have complied," the speaker asserted. "It was a pleasing evidence of widespread provincial co-operation from employer and employee alike, he said."

Basically the Act set out to neutralize the two disturbing conditions that threatened peace in the relations of industry—the strike, and the latent antagonism between employers and employees. In such matters of disputes a conciliation commissioner was chosen by the minister and commissioned under his seal. Upon the appointment of the commissioner, it was the duty of the secretary-registrar to inform the disputants.

The act states "In all cases this officer is required to expeditiously and carefully inquire into the dispute and all matters affecting the merits and right settlement thereof." He is charged with the promotion of conditions favorable to settlement by endeavoring to allay distrust, remove causes of friction and to encourage the parties to come together and themselves effect settlement.

Mr. Goult said since the department's inception it had dealt with several minor cases. There had been six cases in which a commissioner had been appointed. In four of these the matters of dis-

ROBBERY CASE IS DISMISSED**George Kitchener Acquitted of Grocery Burglary; Faces Other Charges**

George Kitchener was acquitted of a charge of breaking and entering Peacock's Grocery, 1024 Finlayson Avenue, September 4, in City Police Court this morning.

He was remanded till Monday for sentence for retaining possession of a stolen suit of clothing belonging to K. C. McCannel, a charge on which he had earlier been found guilty.

He will appear in Oak Bay Police Court tomorrow afternoon on five charges of retaining stolen goods, to which he pleaded not guilty Tuesday afternoon. Giving judgment in the breaking and entering case this morning Magistrate Henry Hall said the evidence consisted of a quantity of stamps and the envelope which contained them. The envelope had one word written on it.

Among the stamps was a single block of 46 of 3c denomination, with a value of \$1.38. Evidence given previously in the trial by John Pepper had been that he never bought stamps for the grocery to the value of more than \$1 at a time. Kitchener had made this point in his argument.

Mrs. M. H. Peacock, the owner of the store, had testified she had written the word "bills" on the envelope and placed the stamps in it, but Mr. Pepper had said the stamps were not kept in the envelope but loose, Magistrate Hall said.

James H. Beatty, called as a handwriting expert, had said that in his belief the word "bills" had been written by Mrs. Peacock and not by Kitchener as the latter claimed. The case rested on that single word, and the Magistrate did not find the evidence of one word sufficient to outweigh the doubt created in his mind by the value of the block of stamps and Pepper's evidence on the manner in which they were kept. He therefore dismissed the case.

Before making his brief argument, Kitchener was "cross-examined for more than an hour and a half by C. L. Harrison, city prosecutor.

During the examination the accused denied his guilt in six cases of breaking and entering to which he had pleaded guilty in 1932, and for which he was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary. He first implied he had been led to enter places of guilty by a police officer, but later reversed his statement and said he had not been induced by any representations.

New Companies Incorporated

Zeballos Twin Peaks Mines Ltd., N.P.L., with a capitalization of 3,000,000 shares no par value and head offices in Vancouver was incorporated this week, latest in the list of new companies formed for development in the new island's gold region.

Other companies this week include:

Columbia Contracting Co. Ltd., \$25,000, Canal Flats.

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Moynes Motors and Transfer Ltd., \$40,000, Trail.

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Russian Duchess Laboratories Ltd., \$10,000, Vancouver.

S. B. Nordhus Fisheries Ltd., \$25,000, Vancouver.

Ferguson Truck and Equipment Co. Ltd., \$20,000, Vancouver.

Societies: Vancouver Secondary School Teachers' Association.

Swan Lake Ukrainian Community Association of Taras Shvinko.

British Columbia Electric Company Limited Office Employees Medical Aid Society.

pute were settled. Two cases were pending. The speaker declared there had been one strike of four days' duration, which was caused mainly through ignorance of the terms of the statute. The majority of the workers were Orientals.

There could be no strike prior to the application for a conciliation commissioner, or from the date of appointment of such a commissioner to 14 days after the taking of a vote following the award of the board of arbitration, Mr. Goult declared. However, the field of legislation was not only reserved by the Dominion, but by the terms of the Industrial Disputes Investigation Act and the Canada Shipping Act. The provincial act would not apply to either railway employees or to seamen.

OTTAWA (CP)—By a vote of 37 to 26 the Senate this afternoon defeated a motion to give a six months' hoist to the bill of Senator Lendrum McMeans, which broadens the grounds for divorce.

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C.C.F. GROUP STATES VIEWS**Supports Government in Some Submissions Made to Rowell Commission**

In a brief submitted to the Rowell commission, the B.C. section of the Co-operative Commonwealth Federation, which composes half the opposition in the Legislature, agreed generally with the provincial government's proposals "on social legislation, and disagreed with the proposals on income tax, marketing control and treaty-making rights."

The C.C.F. would have Ottawa control old age pensions, unemployment insurance, wages and hours laws and labor organizations, but would retain for the province the right to establish higher standards for labor than the Dominion-wide scale.

They would give the Federal government full power to enforce international treaties and leave the income tax field solely to the Dominion.

They advocated uniform inheritance taxes across Canada but would leave these to the provinces unless the Dominion accepted a portion of provincial debts.

Their formula for marketing control was similar to that for dealing with labor, giving the Dominion wider powers than at present, but reserving for the provinces the right to improve the standards to suit their own conditions.

The C.C.F. also backed the government's argument against discriminatory freight rates, particularly as they effect farm feeds coming into B.C. from the prairies.

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E. S. MICHELL,
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City Hall, March 23, 1938.

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for three of Spencers' goals, Les
Bradley, "Shorty" Collins and
Lefty Williams notching one
apiece to account for the re-
mainder of the score. "Baldy"
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shutout when he scored in the
last half.

Dave McMillan refereed.

Teams follow:

Spencers—Stewardson, Munro,
Richardson, McMillan, L. Brad-
ley, Reside, Brown, Waring, Wil-
liams, Collins, Newman and
Byatt.

Gorge Hotel—C. Sadler, Field-
house, Geoghegan, W. Sadler,
Ball, Constable, Barnswell and
Cann.

Seabiscuit Will

Pack Top Weight

AGUA CALIENTE, Mex.—Top
weight of 130 pounds was given
Charles S. Howard's Seabiscuit
for Sunday's \$12,500 Agua Cal-
iente handicap. Handicapper Ben
Holmes announced today.

The 1937 American turf cham-
pion was brought to Agua Cal-
iente yesterday by van. He will
be ridden by Jockey Noel Richard-
son.

SEAHAWKS TIE
UP PLAYOFFS

Beat Vancouver 3 to 2 As
Protested Semi-final Goes
to Higher Court

SEATTLE—Seattle Seahawks
knocked the Pacific Coast Hockey
League championship series with
the Vancouver Lions last night
by winning the second game, 3
to 2.

The victory came as league di-
rectors, meeting to discuss the
Portland Buckaroos' refusal last
week to replay a protested semi-
final game with Vancouver, voted
"temporary suspension" of Port-
land pending further action at a
future meeting.

President Fred Taylor issued a
statement saying "the govern-
ment of the league was of the
opinion the Portland-Vancouver
incident was of such serious na-
ture it deserved and requires fur-
ther and more mature considera-
tion."

He added: "Determination of
the final action to be taken will
be made after consultation with
the president of the federation of
minor hockey leagues and Frank
Calder, president of the National
Hockey League."

Bobby Rowe, owner of the Port-
land club, did not attend the meet-
ing.

The Seahawks, leading 1 to 0
in the last period of last night's
game, saw Vancouver tie and
jump into the lead inside the first
nine minutes. The Hawks rallied
and scored a goal 10 seconds
later to tie the count again.

Hal Tabor drove the puck past
Goalie Jackson in the dying
minutes of the third period with
the winning score.

The third game of the series
will be played here Saturday
night.

SET DRAW FOR
SOCCER PLAY

VANCOUVER—The British Co-
lumbia Soccer Commission today
announced the draw for the Prov-
ince Cup soccer competition.

The games will be played in
three sections until the semi-final
round. Dates for the latter will
be announced.

Results of the draw follow:

Lower Island—1, Young
Liberals vs. Saatchi Thistles; 2,
Victoria City vs. Garrison; 3, Vi-
ctoria West vs. Esquimalt; 4, Na-
vy, Second round, 2 vs. 4, 1 vs. 3.

Upper Islands—1, Calahada vs.
Cumberland Rangers; 2, Reserve
vs. Nanaimo City; 3, Bevan vs.
Cumberland Tigers; 4, Fletcher,
by Second round, 2 vs. 4, 1 vs. 3.

Maingland—1, Radials vs. Ser-
vices; 2, Excelsiors vs. North
Shore United; 3, Co-operative
Commonwealth Federation vs.
Macabees; 4, St. Regis vs. St.
Andrews; 5, St. Saviours vs. Po-
lice; 6, Chinese Students vs.
Kerrisdale; 7, Royals vs. Fraser
Cafe; 8, Vikings vs. West Van-
couver. Second round, 8 vs. 2, 1
vs. 5, 4 vs. 6, 3 vs. 7.

CAGE CAPERS

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numerous openings for his West-
ern brethren.

Another member of the visiting
team who was suffering from a
physical handicap was little Art
Willoughby. But this shifty,
curly-headed sniper streaked
around the floor like a tornado on
skates and ducked in under the
Domino defence time and again to
score.

On Tuesday night Hank Rowe,
the gangling youth who guards
the Domino hoop with Chuck
Chapman, received a nasty blow
on the jaw and was not the same
for the rest of the game, and
after some rough handling last
night looked a little pale around
the gills, but kept in the game
fighting as hard as ever.

While Art Chapman could cer-
tainly use a pair of glasses to
help out on those shots, provin-
cial play-downs is no time for ex-
periment. Although the lanky
Domino centre failed to sink a
field goal last night, he was right
in there making the plays.

Local basketball fans planning
to go to Vancouver for the re-
mainder of the Domino-Westerns
series are asked to leave their
names at Peden Bros. by tomor-
row morning at 10.30. Tickets for
the games, and transportation
will be arranged for those leav-
ing their names.

That crash helmet Bardsley
wears protects a smart basketball
brain. He uses all the angles in
the game to no mean advantage,
and is a tough lad for his
check to follow. He and Wil-
loughby were the spark of the
characteristic tight ball game the
Westerns played. The Van-
couver boys were visibly tired
toward the finish.

Singing Star



ELBERT LEROY BELLOWES

who will be remembered for his
excellent singing of the leading
tenor roles in "Il Trovatore" and
"Faust" under the baton of Earl
Horsfall in the years ago, has been
engaged as guest artist by the
Victoria Grand Opera Association
and will be heard tomorrow and
Saturday evenings at the Empire
Theatre as Turiddu in "Cavalleria
Rusticana" and Carlo in "Pagli-
acci." Coming from a musical
family, it was not surprising that
after graduating from Drake Uni-
versity, Des Moines, Ia., Mr. Bel-
lows decided to become a singer.

His plans were interrupted by the
war, and he served overseas with
the American forces. After the
Armistice he studied with William
Shakespeare of London, Oscar
Siegel of New York and later
with Frank Le Forge. For several
years Mr. Bellows appeared in
concerts in the U.S.A., in addition
to a professional tour abroad and
a season in Paris. Later, return-
ing to America, he joined the
National Broadcasting Company
and during the next four years
sang many operatic roles over the
air. Coming to Seattle, he was
engaged as tenor soloist at the
Fourth Church of Christ Scientist,
where he has been for the past
seven years, in addition to his
musical activities as one of the
leading vocal teachers in that city.

CAPITOL THEATRE

"Sally, Irene and Mary" is now
at the Capitol Theatre. The hilar-
ious yarn is set to a score by Bul-
lock and Spina and Gordon and
Revel, and presents such enter-
tainers as Alice Faye and Tony
Martin, Fred Allen, Jimmy Dur-
ante, Gregory Ratoff, Joan Davis,
Marjorie Weaver and Louise
Hovick.

PLAZA THEATRE

"Nothing Sacred," which is now
at the Plaza Theatre, with its mix-
ture of laughs and love, will ap-
pear to any audience, whether it
likes to laugh, cry or feel roman-
tic. Carole Lombard and Fred-
eric March are starred.

Where to Go Tonight

(As Advertised)
ATLAS—Jackie Cooper and
Maureen O'Sullivan in "Boy
of the Street."

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Mary," with Alice Faye and
Tony Martin.

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"The Prince and the Pauper,"
a First National production and
the first talking-film version of
Mark Twain's immortal adven-
ture-romance will be presented
today on the screen of the Oak
Bay Theatre.

The well-known story is that of
two babies born in London at the
same moment in the 16th century
—one the young Prince Edward,
who first sees life in the palace;
the other Tom Canty, who opens
his eyes in the slums, the son of
a thief and villain. Their lives
become tangled because they look
exactly alike.

Errol Flynn, handsome young
Irish star of "Green Light,"
"Captain Blood" and "The
Charge of the Light Brigade,"
heads the cast.

Foran and Anne Nagel star in
"Devil's Saddle Legion," which
is the second picture on the pro-
gram.

BUCK JONES AT
THE COLUMBIA

Popular Western Star Has
Leading Role in "Black
Aces" Opening Today

The crushing of a ruthless
band of outlaws who have put
him on the "spot" is the excit-
ing task required of Buck Jones
in the Universal feature, "Black
Aces," which opens at the Colum-
bia Theatre today.

Important supporting roles are
played by Frederic MacKaye, Wil-
liam Lawrence, Robert Fraser,
Raymond Brown, Robert Kort-
man and Frank Campeau. "Black
Aces" was filmed amid the out-
door splendor of the High Sierra
Mountains. The picture is based
on Stephen Payne's novel of the
same name.

Warren William and Karen
Morley are in "Outcast," which
is also on the bill.

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ing down Broadway" will open
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row.

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CANADIAN INVESTMENT NEWS

FORD MOTOR CO. OF CANADA—Net profit in 1937 was \$5,775,045, equal to \$2.37 a share, compared with \$3,358,470, or \$2.92 a share in 1936. Included in the 1937 net profit was \$3,429,480 in dividends received from overseas subsidiaries.—Class "A" stock listed Montreal approx. \$16.00 a share. Annual div. rate \$1.00 a share.

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Grasshopper Eggs
Ready to Hatch

WASHINGTON — Farmers' troubles in the west this summer are going to be little ones—billions of them. Most recent field surveys by Department of Agriculture workers indicate that the heavy stocks of grasshopper and Mormon cricket eggs in the soil

have come through the winter in fine shape. Now they are getting ready to hatch into hungry mischief.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP)—Receipts to

The cattle market was steady. Good butcher steers, \$5 to \$5.35; common to medium, \$3.50 to \$4.50; good to choice heifers, \$4.75 to \$5.25. Medium to good

No hog sales at noon. Wednesday's prices: Selects, \$10.15; hams, \$9.65; butchers, \$9.15, \$9.25; medium to good veal calves, \$1 to \$5; good cows, \$3.25 to \$3.75; good veal calves, \$7. Gold Quartz slipped 2 at 1.98 at 1.96. Premier was down 1 at 1.95. Other golds were unchanged. Base metals moved lightly. B. Nickel at 21 1/2 and Pend Oreille at 1.66 each gained 1 and remained unchanged. Other base metals unchanged.

Eggs prices issued by William Haggart, Dominion egg inspector:			
To producer, delivered in Victoria;			
Grade A large	39c		
Grade A medium	38c		
Grade A small	37c		
Wholesale to retail:			
Grade A large	23c		
Grade A medium	22c		
Grade A small	21c		

Goiconda	8
Gold Bell	34
Gold Mount	1-6
Grull Winkne	
Hedley Maroot	109
Home Gold	1-3
Home Gold	1-3
Kootenay Belle	107
Lucky Jim	2-6
Mat Sicular	1-6
Mute	2
Nicola	5-4
Noble Fire	3

VANCOUVER (CP) - Vancouver wheat			
Cash prices:	Straight	Tough	
No. 1 hard	126 1/2	124 1/2	
No. 1 northern	126 1/2	124 1/2	
No. 2 hard	124 1/2	122 1/2	
No. 2 northern	124 1/2	122 1/2	
No. 3 northern	94 1/2	91 1/2	
No. 5 wheat	92 1/2	78 1/2	
Feed wheat	83 1/2	80 1/2	
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Taylor Bridge	4	4
Victoria	11	3
Rufus	14	3
Ruth Hope	3	3
Waverley	5	2
Wellington	5	2
Westco	3-4	4
Whitewater	4-6	6
Ymir Yankee Girl	16	19
OTL		
Amalgamated	1-1	1
Anacanda	8-14	10
Consolidated	21	21
C. and	21	21

Calmont	27	40
Commonwealth	27	29
Crescent	27	29
Dalhousie Oil	42	1
Prebush	4	5
Hargal	19	
Highland Sarcos	10	
Home Oil	106	110
Madison	6	7
Mar Jon	6	6
McDonald	6	6
McLeod	13	20
Mercury Oil	13	

Model Oil	22	
Monarch	15-6	18
Okalta	140	144
Pasala	140	
Royalite	35	40
United Oil	40	46
Vanilla	90	
Vulcan	80	100
MISCELLANEOUS—		
Capital Estates	275	280
Coast Breweries	13-2	13
Inter, Coal and Coke	25	

Five Vancouver women also hold a ticket on a horse that is listed as a starter, but they were not available for comment.

VALUED COIN FOUND

COMREY, Alta. (CP) — A United States one-cent coin listed in an exchange for \$5 to \$100.

NEW REGISTRAR
VANCOUVER (CP) — J. C.

London Market

LONDON (AP)—Modern supporting orders came into the stock market late in the day and the closing time was steady. Continued pressure caused prices to be marked down early in the day, especially the steel, motors, shipping, distilling and rayon and tobacco groups. American securities finished 1 to 3 down and rubber an

T. MOONEY III
SAN QUENTIN, Calif. (AP)—
 recurrence of an illness which
 sent Tom Mooney to San Quentin
 prison hospital last August neces-
 sitated his transfer to the hospital
 again today.

Capital Increase

MONTREAL (CP) — Shareholders of Dominion Steel and Coal Corporation gave sanction at the annual meeting today to a 10 per cent increase in the company's common stock.

EDMONTON (CP)—A drop of 657 in total Alberta jobless registrations with the provincial employment service is reported for the week ended last Saturday against the same week in March 1937. The figure for the week this month was 10,655 jobless.

the company. Reports were adopted and officers and directors re-elected.

1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483, 2484, 2485, 2486, 2487, 2488, 2489, 2490, 2491, 2492, 2493, 2494, 2495, 2496, 2497, 2498, 2499, 2500, 2501, 2502, 2503, 2504, 2505, 2506, 2507, 2508, 2509, 2510, 2511, 2512, 2513, 2514, 2515, 2516, 2517, 2518, 2519, 2520, 2521, 2522, 2523, 2524, 2525, 2526, 2527, 2528, 2529, 2530, 2531, 2532, 2533, 2534, 2535, 2536, 2537, 2538, 2539, 2540, 2541, 2542, 2543, 2544, 2545, 2546, 2547, 2548, 2549, 2550, 2551, 2552, 2553, 2554, 2555, 2556, 2557, 2558, 2559, 2560, 2561, 2562, 2563, 2564, 2565, 2566, 2567, 2568, 2569, 2570, 2571, 2572, 2573, 2574, 2575, 2576, 2577, 2578, 2579, 2580, 2581, 2582, 2583, 2584, 2585, 2586, 2587, 2588, 2589, 2590, 2591, 2592, 2593, 2594, 2595, 2596, 2597, 2598, 2599, 2600, 2601, 2602, 2603, 2604, 2605, 2606, 2607, 2608, 2609, 2610, 2611, 2612, 2613, 2614, 2615, 2616, 2617, 2618, 2619, 2620, 2621, 2622, 2623, 2624, 2625, 2626, 2627, 2628, 2629, 2630, 2631, 2632, 2633, 2634, 2635, 2636, 2637, 2638, 2639, 2640, 2641, 2642, 2643, 2644, 2645, 2646, 2647, 2648, 2649, 2650, 2651, 2652, 2653, 2654, 2655, 2656, 2657, 2658, 2659, 2660, 2661, 2662, 2663, 2664, 2665, 2666, 2667, 2668, 2669, 2670, 2671, 2672, 2673, 2674, 2675, 2676, 2677, 2678, 26

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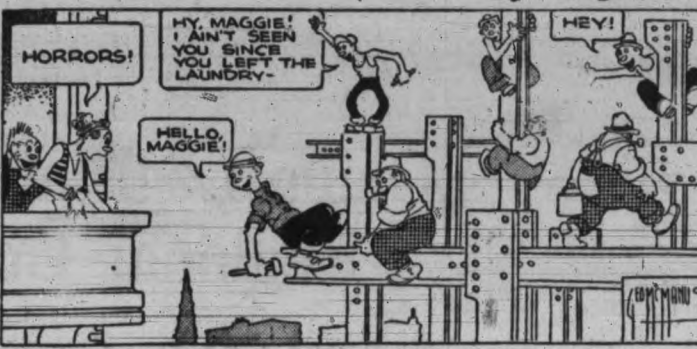
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Uncle Ray

Crossing the Date Line

When we crossed the International Date Line, in the mid-Pacific, many persons aboard our steamer were puzzled.

"How can it be Monday on one side of the line and Sunday on the other side?" they asked.

"How can it be Monday up to 8 o'clock in the evening and then go back to Sunday?"



Aquaplaning with a deep sea turtle.

An Englishwoman at my table in the dining-room said, "I used to know the reason, but I don't know it any more."

If I had gone around the world by traveling first to Asia, then would have been an extra amount of time in each day of westward travel. The extra time would have been from half an hour to an hour, depending on my rate of travel.

When I finished my trip, traveling "with the sun," I would have gained enough extra half hours and hours to make one full day. At least it would have been that way except for one thing—crossing the Date Line! When you cross that line, going westward, you lose a day. Supposing I crossed it on noon Sunday, it would suddenly become noon on Monday.

That loss of a day would just balance the time gained from day to day on a round-the-world trip. There was warfare in China last year, so I sailed eastward instead of westward. I hoped the war would be over by the time I reached China.

While sailing eastward, across the Atlantic I lost about an hour a day aboard the fast-sailing Queen Mary. Later I lost time while going by train from France to Italy, by boat from Sicily to Port Said, and while crossing the Indian Ocean from the Red Sea to India and Ceylon. I kept on losing time on my way from Ceylon to Singapore. When we turned northward, I lost only a few minutes a day, while going to Shanghai.

From Shanghai, I traveled almost straight eastward again, and lost 40 minutes or so a day. If it had not been for the Date Line, I'd have lost one full day by the time I got back home.

The Date Line gave me back a day. The time changed from Monday back to Sunday, so I was given a day to make up for all the half hours and hours I had lost. To keep passengers from getting too much mixed up, the ship's officers called the extra day "Meridian Day."

UNCLE RAY:
Tomorrow—Sharks of the Pacific.

HOROSCOPE

Friday, March 25, 1938

This is a fairly fortunate day in planetary direction, since the stars encourage optimism, enterprise and general good feeling. According to astrology the mental vision should be clear and the influence propitious for planning big projects.

Women, it is forecast, will assume heavy responsibilities in public affairs before the end of the year.

It is an unlucky date for letter-writing or for signing any legal papers. Divorce applications are especially ill-omened.

Lawyers and government officials are well directed by the stars. The summer months will bring unusual party alignments. Old campaigners may meet with lack-of-enthusiasm among former supporters.

Increased revenues and a possible reduction of federal taxes are forecast. War clouds may be less threatening today.

Earthquakes in the Argentine and Brazil are prognosticated for May. The West Indies will sustain seismic shocks.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of pleasure and happiness through unusual activity. Discretion in love affairs is advised, as evil portents are discerned.

Children born on this day probably will be talented and lovers of beauty. Subjects of this sign are individual and independent, domineering and successful. —Gutzon Borglum, famous sculptor, was born on this day 1867. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Isham Randolph, noted engineer, 1848; Cleveland Abbe Jr., geographer, 1872.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR DOROTHY DIX—I have cried myself sick during these last few weeks. Everything seems stacked up against me. I have no looks at all and fellows don't look at girls who are homely. I can't get any dates as other girls do. At a dance the boys always rush the pretty ones, and we ugly ducklings are left on the sidelines. We want to dance and have fun and be taken places just as much as the good-looking. Won't you write an article to us girls who aren't Miss Americas and give us a few tips? There are thousands of girls like me, and we want to know what to do.

JUST 19.

Answer: In the same mail that brought this wall from the girl whose face was not a fortune that she could cash in with the boys came a letter from a woman who was also born without beauty in which she tells how she overcame her handicap, and I publish it because an ounce of experience is worth a ton of theory.

She says: "I was a homely girl and my lack of good looks was emphasized by the fact that I had six sisters, each of whom could take a beauty prize. In the family-I was constantly reminded of my lack of good-looks, so I decided to do something about it. First of all, I took swimming lessons until I became an expert swimmer. Next horseback riding, then skating, skiing, golf and dancing, in all of which I became an expert. And I soon found that I had far more male-admirers than my fair sisters who, could only sit in the living-room and look beautiful."

"All the while I was improving my office work and doing everything as well as I could, and being so dependable that I was continually being promoted and in demand by the men higher up. This gave me confidence and poise. Diet and gymnastic work pared my figure down to a graceful one. Good-clothes did the rest, and at 40 I often hear the comment made as I pass: 'Isn't she an attractive woman?'"

"I am married to a man on the staff of a large university; one who admires my mind and my ability in the sports in which he also indulges. No girl need be doomed because she wasn't born with a peaches-and-cream complexion and a willowy figure."

MRS. S. B. C.

This answers the homely girl's letter and sets a star of hope in her sky. For it is true that no girl, unless she is an actual monster, needs to feel that she is barred from all the things she wants in life just because she isn't a living picture. Her cue is to substitute another attraction for the one that she lacks. Brains for beauty. Tact and charm and personality for a graceful figure. Skill at sports for naturally wavy hair. Perfect grooming and smart dressing for violet eyes.

After all, while beauty attracts us at first, it doesn't hold us very long unless it is backed up by other qualities. A girl might be as beautiful as a houri, but no man would want to dance with her if she stepped all over his feet. And, on the other hand, the girl who is homely enough to stop the clock will have plenty of partners if she is a superlative dancer.

Men pick out their partners at bridge by their skill and not their looks, and they like to talk to the girl who is intelligent and a good listener instead of one who is beautiful but dumb. So there is no use in the homely girl despairing unless she is too lazy and stupid to cultivate a lot of other attractions instead of the one Nature denied her.

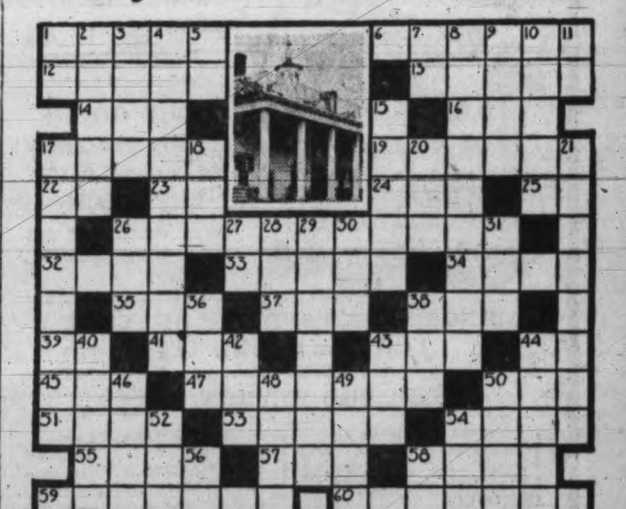
DOROTHY DIX.

Modern Etiquette

By ROBERTA LEE

1. If a man has picked up a glove for a strange woman, is it necessary for him to lift his hat as he turns away?
 2. If a seat on a street car is vacated, should a man take it if there are women standing?
 3. If a man is sitting in a crowded street car when a very young girl enters, is it necessary that he give up his seat to her?
 4. Is it usual for women as well as men to rise to greet their hostess?
 5. Does an older man lift his hat for a younger one?
- What would you do if—
- Answers
1. Yes.
 2. No.
 3. No, but he should do so if she were older.
 4. Yes.
 5. No, he merely touches it.
- Best "What Would You Do" solution—(b).

Today's Crossword Puzzle



- HORIZONTAL**
- 1, 6 Home of George Washington.
 - 12 Mistake.
 - 13 To hoist.
 - 14 Curse.
 - 16 Mineral spring.
 - 17 Greaser.
 - 19 To recount.
 - 22 Right.
 - 23 Nay.
 - 24 Epoch.
 - 25 Southeast.
 - 26 Adornments.
 - 32 Layed glazed blocks.
 - 34 Electrical terms.
 - 35 Devoured.
 - 37 Wager.
 - 38 Social insect.
 - 39 Chaos.
 - 41 Still.
 - 43 Hog.
 - 44 Within.
 - 45 Work of skill.
 - 47 Revolved.
 - 50 Before.
 - 51 Sweet secretion.
- VERTICAL**
- 1 Myself.
 - 2 Eye socket.
 - 3 Russian mountain.
 - 4 Person of little account.
 - 5 Transposed.
 - 7 Exclamation.
 - 8 Stating again.
 - 9 Back of neck.
 - 10 Egg-shaped figures.
 - 11 Compass point.
 - 15 Confession of faith.
 - 17 The house with its furnishings is a national memorial.
 - 18 To decay.
 - 20 Sea eagle.
 - 21 Diminished.
 - 26 Striped fabric.
 - 27 Neuter pronoun.
 - 28 Chest bone.
 - 29 To raise.
 - 30 Encountered.
 - 31 Drunkard.
 - 36 Ever.
 - 38 Helper.
 - 42 Nettle rash.
 - 42 Male cat.
 - 43 Writing tool.
 - 44 Angry.
 - 46 Jogging pace.
 - 48 Powder ingredient.
 - 49 Neap.
 - 50 Previously.
 - 52 Golf professional.
 - 54 Feather scarf.
 - 56 Afternoon.
 - 58 Mountain.
- Answer to Previous Puzzle
- HUGOECKERER
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TO ARRIVE

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Orient, Honolulu, March 27.
GRACIA, United Kingdom, March 27.
HELAN MARU, (at William Head), Japan, March 28.

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Orient, March 30.

DELFLOY, Europe, April 1.

EMPEROR OF RUSSIA, Orient, April 4.

ADRIAN, Australia, New Zealand, Fiji, Hawaii, April 5.

PACIFIC EXPLORER, United Kingdom, April 8.

HELAN MARU, (at William Head), Japan, April 11.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Orient, April 12.

LOCHGOIL, Europe, April 13.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN, Orient, Hawaii, April 15.

HELAN MARU, (at William Head), Japan, April 25.

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Orient, April 27.

TO SAIL

PRESIDENT GRANT, Orient, March 26.

PACIFIC EXPLORER, United Kingdom, March 30.

GRACIA, United Kingdom, March 31.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Honolulu, Orient, April 2.

TYNDAREUS, Orient, April 4.

DELFLOY, Europe, April 6.

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Orient, April 8.

HELAN MARU, (at William Head), Japan, April 9.

PACIFIC EXPLORER, United Kingdom, April 12.

CORRENTES, United Kingdom, April 14.

EMPEROR OF RUSSIA, Orient, April 16.

LOCHGOIL, United Kingdom, April 20.

HELAN MARU, Japan, April 22.

PRESIDENT JACKSON, Orient, April 23.

MODAVIA, United Kingdom, April 29.

EMPEROR OF JAPAN, Hawaii, Orient, April 30.

U.S. REVENUE DOWN

WASHINGTON (AP)—The United States treasury reported Wednesday that the recession had made inroads on federal excise taxes, which produced \$20,000,000 less in February than in February, 1937.

NORTH!

Powell River—Ocean Falls
Prince Rupert—Anxox
Stewart

Steamer Leaves Vancouver
Every

MONDAY, 9 P.M.

Fortnightly sailing to Queen
Charlotte Islands

CANADIAN NATIONAL STEAMSHIPS

V-13-38

McGEER URGES PORT CHANGES

Stronger Trade Campaign
On Both Canada's Coasts
Suggested

HALIFAX (CP)—G. G. McGeer, M.P., said here establishment of a national harbors board had eliminated competition for trade between ports and active solicitation of business by ports had ceased.

In Halifax to address the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Barristers' Society today, Mr. Geer said:

"Great Britain, for instance, would not tolerate for an instant any system that would put the ports of London, Southampton, Liverpool and others under one management."

"But then, I suppose the only way is to try these things and if they don't work, change them."

"Our job in British Columbia—and yours—is to sweep the two oceans, Atlantic and Pacific, right up to a canoe-minded Ottawa," he said, "and impress there the fact that Canada is a two-ocean nation, that her ports are vital and that she must trade on the sea."

Ten Freighters Bring \$419,926

OTTAWA (CP)—The present government sold 10 ships of the Canadian Merchant Marine, but one of them, the Canadian Planter, was wrecked before the transfer to the purchasers could be made, Rt. Hon. R. B. Bennett, Conservative leader, learned when answers to questions he asked were tabled Wednesday in the Commons by Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Transport.

The names of the ships sold and their sale prices were: Canadian Cruiser and Canadian Constructor, \$50,077 each; Canadian Challenger, Canadian Highlander, Canadian Britisher, Canadian Leader, Canadian Scottish, \$40,013 each; Canadian Conqueror, Canadian Victor, \$39,823 each; Canadian Planter, \$40,061.

Spoken By Wireless

March 22, 8 p.m.—Shipping:

EMPEROR OF ASIA, Victoria to Yokohama, 1,000 miles from Victoria.

ALBERTOLITE, Port San Luis to Vancouver, 467 miles from Vancouver.

CRIPPO, Chetumal to San Pedro, 300 miles from San Pedro.

EMPEROR OF CANADA, Yokohama to Victoria, via Honolulu, 500 miles north-east of Honolulu.

March 24, 12 noon—Weather:

Barometer—Cloudy; east light; 20.80; 39; sea, rough.

Barometer—Cloudy; calm; 20.76; 42; sea, moderate swell.

Barometer—Cloudy; north-east light; 20.87; 47; sea, from south-west; swell.

Cape Lazo—Rain; calm; 20.77; 42; sea, smooth.

At World Ports

Arrived—Liverpool, March 22, Nova Scotia, from Boston and Halifax; Cobb, March 23, President Harding, New York; London, March 22, American Farmer, New York; Buenos Aires, March 23, Eastern Prince, New York; New York, March 23, Andania, London; Scythia, Liverpool; American Legion, Buenos Aires; Rex, Naples.

CANAL MOVEMENTS

Panama Canal, March 23 (AP)—Passed east: Oregonian, Los Angeles for New York; Elwood, Los Angeles for Providence; Koyel Maru (Jap), Los Angeles for New York and Philadelphia.

Passed west: Texas Sun, Marcus Hook for Los Angeles; Mobiloil, Paulsboro for Los Angeles; Chattanooga, City, New York for San Diego and Los Angeles; Peter Lassen (Dan), Avonmouth for Colon.

Will Continue Australia Run

VANCOUVER (CP)—The present schedule of monthly sailings of the Pacific-Australia Direct Line will be maintained without interruption, it was announced yesterday by the Empire Shipping Company Limited, agents for the General Steamship Corporation.

The line has operated in trade from the Pacific Coast to Australia for the past 16 years. The regularity of the service was disturbed only during labor difficulties in 1937, at which time all freight services in the trade experienced a curtailment on sailings.

The April sailings from the Pacific Coast will be afforded by Ms. Mirabooka. The May sailing will be maintained by Ss. Anten, followed by the Boren in June and Tisnaren in July.

John Jacob Astors Crossing Atlantic

NEW YORK—Major John Jacob Astor, chairman of the board of directors of the London Times and Lady Astor sailed from here yesterday aboard the Cunard White Star flagship Queen Mary for their home in London and Hever Castle after attending the wedding in California last week of Lady Astor's son, George Mercer Nairne to Barbara Chase.

Aged by sorrow over the death of her son-in-law, Lord and Lady Plunkett of Ireland in an airplane accident in California, Fanny Ward, the "eternal flapper" also took passage by the Queen Mary, carrying the ashes of the Plunketts for burial in Ireland.

The three sisters of King Zog of Albania were other interesting passengers on the Queen Mary. They are hurrying home for their brother's wedding.

MAILS

BRITISH ISLANDS

Close, 4 p.m., March 24, Ss. Normandie

New York, Air mail closes 3:30 p.m.

March 24

Close, 4 p.m., March 27, Ss. Bremen via

New York, Air mail closes 3:30 p.m.

March 31

Close, 1:10 p.m., March 28, Ss. Duchess

of Richmond

Close, 1:10 p.m., March 27

JAMAICA

Close, 1:10 p.m., March 25, 27

CHINA AND JAPAN

Empress of Asia, March 19, 4 p.m.; arriving

Yokohama April 4, Shanghai April 5

Hokkaido April 5

President Grant, March 26, 4 p.m.; arriving

Yokohama April 4, Hongkong April 20

"Carries mail for Honolulu.

"Carries mail for Japan and Shanghai only."

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Niagara, March 16, 4 p.m.; arriving

Auckland April 4, Sydney April 9

Morocco, via San Francisco, March 25, 11:15 p.m.; arriving Auckland April 14, Sydney April 17

HONOLULU MAILS

Close, 11:15 p.m., March 11, 12, 16, 19, 22, 25, 26, 28, 30, April 2, 5, 9, 11

Close, 4 p.m., March 16, 18, 20, 23, 26, 29, April 1, 3, 6, 8, 10, 13, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, May 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29, June 1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 16, 19, 22, 25, 28, 31, July 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, August 2, 5, 8, 11, 14, 17, 20, 23, 26, 29, September 1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 16, 19, 22, 25, 28, 31, October 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, November 1, 4, 7, 10, 13, 16, 19, 22, 25, 28, 31, December 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, January 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, February 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, March 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, April 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, May 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, June 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, July 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, August 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, September 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, October 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, November 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, December 3, 6, 9, 12, 15, 18, 21, 24, 27, 30, January 3, 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